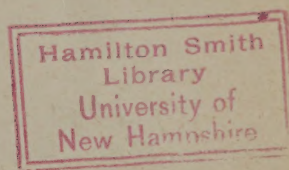
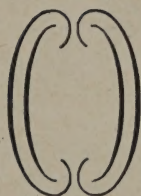


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NEW HAMPSHIRE



For the Year Ending  
**JANUARY 31**  
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# TOWN OFFICERS

*Representative to General Court*

EDWARD W. CARTER

*Moderator*

NORRIS E. HENDERSON

*Town Clerk*

DAVID R. JONES

*Town Treasurer*

NORRIS E. HENDERSON

*Selectmen*

GEORGE W. CARROLL                      P. HENRY COGGER  
EDWARD W. CARTER

*Trustees Trust Fund*

IBRA J. FOSTER                      HAZEL L. WHITE  
FLORENCE E. RICHARDSON

*Auditors*

WILBER J. FOSTER                      BERT L. PEASLEE

*Supervisors of Checklist*

KENNETH M. JENKINS                      GERALD W. PERRY  
LOUIS HOUFFMAN

*Tax Collector*

J. WILSON FRENCH

*Police Officers*

EDMUND O'LEARY, *Chief*      GERALD W. PERRY  
LEON CENTER      MYRON WHALIN

*Fire Department**Chief* JOSIAH N. HENDERSON*Assistant Chief*, ARTHUR G. GORDON*Captain*, WILLIAM S. ABBOTT*Clerk*, NORRIS E. HENDERSON*Treasurer*, WILBER J. FOSTER*Fire Warden*

WILLIAM A. ALLAGIER

*Deputy Fire Wardens*

FRANCIS BEAN      BERT L. PEASLEE  
E. J. WOODWARD      GERALD W. PERRY  
E. W. CARTER

*Health Officer*

DR. PAUL de NICOLA

*Library Trustees*

J. WILSON FRENCH      MERTON W. FISK  
FRANKLIN L. HASELTINE

*Librarian*

MARGUERITE M. HENDERSON

*Moderator School Meeting*

HARRY WATKINS

*School Clerk*

FRANCIS W. BEAN

*School Treasurer*

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON

*School Board*

CLAUDE M. MAKER

DAVID R. JONES

MARTHA M. CARTER

*School Auditor*

BEAULAH M. HASELTINE

*Janitor Town Hall*

GEORGE T. DAVIS

*Sextons of Cemeteries*

HARRY A. RICHARDSON EVERETT W. MERRILL

*Trustees McGaw School*

ROBERT GORDON

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON

CHARLES L. STOWELL

BEAULAH M. HASELTINE

*Budget Committee*

WALTER A. WHALIN

FRANCIS W. BEAN

FRED DUPELL

HARRY A. RICHARDSON

CURTIS L. BELL

JOHN W. WRIGHT

ELBRIDGE R. WELCH



## TOWN WARRANT

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### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Merrimack in the  
County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to  
vote in Town Affairs:*

[L. S.]

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Merrimack on Tuesday, the 12th day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for town officers salaries.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for town officers expenses.

5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for election and registration.

6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for overseer of poor.

7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for care of town hall and other buildings.

8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the police department.

9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the fire department.

10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for fighting forest fires, or take any action thereto.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$200 for moth extermination, and white pine blister rust.

12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the health department.

13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of highways and bridges.

14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the removal of snow, or take any action thereto.

15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3000 to repair the Turkey Hill bridge, or take any action thereto.

16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for street lighting at Reed's Ferry.

17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for oil and tar to be used on the town highways.

18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the town library.

19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of town poor, including aid to soldiers.

20. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for old age assistance.

21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day, and other celebrations.

22. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of parks and playgrounds.

23. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of cemeteries.

24. To see if the town will vote to accept state aid on class 2, or class 5 town highways, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

If class 2 is desired the town must raise \$2,110, and the state will contribute \$2,110. The same to be expended on the Baboosic road.

If class 5 is desired the town must raise \$829.86, and the state will contribute \$3,319.47. NO TOWN TO RECEIVE BOTH CLASS 2 AND CLASS 5 IN THE SAME YEAR.

25. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount on the early payment of taxes, and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any other action thereto.

26. To see if the town will vote to discontinue a portion of town road known as the D. W. Highway near Hialeah Park now no longer used for that pur-



pose on account of the relocation of said highway.

27. To see if the town would pay the rent on another hydrant on the D. W. Highway near Morris Henderson's, providing the Merrimack Co. would install one at that point.

28. To hear the reports of the town officers, and transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Given under our hand and seal, this 24th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty.

GEORGE W. CARROLL,  
P. HENRY COGGER,  
E. W. CARTER,

*Selectmen of Merrimack, N. H.*

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

GEORGE W. CARROLL,  
P. HENRY COGGER,  
E. W. CARTER,

*Selectmen of Merrimack, N. H.*

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE  
COMPARED  
ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES OF THE

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1939	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1940	Increase	Decrease
From State:				
Interest and Dividends Tax ....	\$1,156.50	\$1,100.00	.....	\$56.50
Insurance Tax .....	72.25	70.00	.....	2.25
Railroad Tax .....	367.87	360.00	\$7.87	.....
Savings Bank Tax .....	855.25	800.00	.....	55.25
For Fighting Forest Fires .....	161.15	.....	.....	.....
Bounties .....	2.00	.....	.....	.....
State Athletic Association .....	7.08	.....	.....	.....
State Flood Aid .....	118.63	.....	.....	.....
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
Business Licenses and Permits..	.75	.....	.....	.....
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings .....	253.15	275.00	21.85	.....
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits .....	248.11	.....	.....	.....
From County:				
Refund Old Age .....	52.50	.....	.....	.....
Ida Putnam est., refund Old Age	300.01	.....	.....	.....
Harris Lot, Lumber .....	810.55	.....	.....	.....
Income from Municipally owned Utilities:				
Refunds—Overdrafts .....	778.28	.....	.....	.....
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees ...	1,683.16	1,650.00	.....	33.16
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:				
Poll taxes .....	628.00	630.00	2.00	.....
National Bank Stock Taxes ...	36.00	36.00	.....	.....
Sale of Town Property .....	493.80	.....	.....	.....
Dog Licenses .....	336.84	325.00	11.84	.....
Dicounts and Abatements .....	843.50	.....	.....	.....
Total Revenues from All Sources Except Property Taxes .....	\$9,205.38	\$5,246.00	\$43.56	\$147.16

## OF MERRIMACK, N. H.

ENSUING YEAR FEBRUARY 1, 1940 TO JANUARY 31, 1941  
WITH  
PREVIOUS YEAR FEBRUARY 1, 1939 TO JANUARY 31, 1940

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expendi- tures Previous Year 1939	Estimated Expendi- tures Ensuing Year 1940	Increase	Decrease
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>				
General Government:				
Issuing Auto Permits .....	\$135.25	\$130.00	.....	\$5.25
Town Officers' Salaries .....	1,685.59	1,600.00	.....	85.59
Town Officers' Expenses .....	520.07	500.00	.....	20.07
Election and Registration Ex- penses .....	101.20	225.00	\$123.80	.....
Overseer of Poor .....	253.02	250.00	.....	3.02
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings .....	488.99	660.00	111.01	.....
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department .....	379.19	375.00	.....	4.19
Fire Department .....	1,401.80	1,500.00	98.20	.....
Damage by Dogs .....	110.05	.....	.....	.....
Health:				
Health Department, including hospitals .....	76.65	50.00	.....	26.65
Damage and Legal Expenses....	134.81	.....	.....	.....
Taxes bought by Town .....	3,297.30	.....	.....	.....
Highways and Bridges:				
Snow Removal .....	1,789.96	1,500.00	.....	289.96
Town Maintenance .....	3,901.81	5,000.00	1,098.19	.....
Street Lighting .....	91.52	100.00	8.48	.....
General Expenses of Highway Department .....	17.00	.....	.....	.....
Water Hole Account .....	791.21	.....	.....	.....
Oil and Tar .....	4,859.47	6,000.00	1,140.53	.....
Libraries:				
Libraries .....	900.00	1,000.00	100.00	.....
Public Welfare:				
County Poor .....	17.50	.....	.....	.....
Town Poor .....	1,137.44	1,200.00	62.56	.....
Old Age Assistance .....	656.81	750.00	93.19	.....
Patriotic Purposes:				
Memorial Day and Other Celebra- tions .....	237.72	35.00	.....	202.72
Aid to Soldiers and their families	46.00	.....	.....	.....
Recreation:				
Parks and Playgrounds, including band concerts .....	29.00	245.00	216.00	.....
Public Service Enterprises:				
Harris Lot .....	804.95	.....	.....	.....
Cemeteries .....	36.00	250.00	214.00	.....
Markets and Public Scales— Miscellaneous, Specials .....	356.42	.....	.....	.....
Interest:				
On Temporary Loans .....	126.50	.....	.....	.....
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:				
Highways and Bridges:				
State Aid Construction— Town's Share .....	918.87	.....	.....	.....
W. P. A.—Town's Share ....	1,840.65	.....	.....	.....
Sewer Construction—				
Babooic Special .....	323.46	.....	.....	.....
New Equipment .....	390.00	.....	.....	.....
Indebtedness:				
Payment on Principal of Debt:				
Bonds, Discount and Abatements	821.95	900.00	78.05	.....
Temporary Note .....	6,986.00	.....	.....	.....
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:				
County Taxes .....	12,957.87	12,430.77	.....	527.10
Payments to School Districts...	17,688.15	17,802.93	114.78	.....
McGaw High School .....	135.81	.....	.....	.....
Total Expenditures .....	\$66,445.99	\$52,443.70	\$3,458.79	\$1,164.55
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## SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

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Land and building, 20,685 acres	\$1,053,055.00
Electric plants	86,210.00
Horses, 80	6,075.00
Cows, 392	23,885.00
Neat stock, 19	760.00
Sheep, 24	120.00
Hogs, 12	180.00
Fowls, 21,096	21,096.00
Portable mills, 4	2,700.00
Boats and launches, 5	550.00
Wood and lumber	5,550.00
Gas pumps and tanks	3,760.00
Stock in trade	61,682.00
Locks and canals	1,200.00
Mills and machinery	173,100.00
Polls, 602 at \$2.00	1,204.00
National Bank stock tax	36.00

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\$1,441,163.00

Total taxes committed to the collector, including Poll tax and National Bank stock tax	\$51,915.69
Average rate per cent of taxation for all purposes	3.60
Amount exempted to soldiers valuation	32,265.00
Amount exempted to Y. M. C. A. valuation	8,300.00

## LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS

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Town officers' salaries	\$1,500.00
Town officers' expenses	500.00
Town Hall expenses	600.00
Police department	375.00
Fire department	1,200.00
Health department	50.00
Town road aid	827.80
Town road maintenance	5,000.00
Discounts and abatements	1,000.00
Old age assistance	1,000.00
Street lighting	125.00
Libraries	1,000.00
Town poor	1,800.00
Memorial Day	35.00
Parks and playgrounds	25.00
Cemeteries	50.00
County tax	12,957.87
School tax	17,212.70
Oil and sand	4,500.00
Election and registration	100.00
Snow removal	1,516.80
Overseer of poor	225.00
Fourth of July celebration	200.00
Pine Knoll or Baboosic road, special	300.00
Forest fire and water hole	1,500.00
Hurricane	1,735.83
Snow plow	390.00
Interest on town note	105.00
	<hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$55,831.00

## Less Estimated Revenue and Credits:

Interest and dividend tax	\$1,160.25	
Insurance tax	80.00	
Railroad tax	300.00	
Savings bank tax	1,000.00	
Motor vehicle fees	1,400.00	
Rent of town hall	300.00	
Licenses and permits	1.50	
Interest on taxes	200.00	
	<hr/>	4,441.75
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		\$51,839.25
Plus overlay		526.44
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Net amount to be raised by taxation		\$51,915.69
Less poll taxes	\$1,204.00	
National bank stock tax	36.00	
	<hr/>	1,240.00
		<hr/>
Amount to be raised by property taxes on which the town rate is figured		\$50,675.69
Property taxes committed to the collector		\$50,675.69
Poll taxes		1,204.00
National bank stock tax		36.00
		<hr/>
		\$51,915.69



## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

DESCRIPTION		
Town Hall, lands and building		\$12,000.00
Furniture and equipment		1,000.00
Library and land		18,000.00
Furniture and equipment		2,500.00
Police Department equipment		75.00
Fire department		4,250.00
Parks and playgrounds		1,000.00
School buildings		15,000.00
School equipment		1,000.00
All lands and buildings acquired by tax deeds:		
John and Fay Read, valuation	\$25.00	
Michael Herzog, valuation	200.00	
Agnes and Silas Sawtell, valuation	75.00	
John Danias and Joseph Branlin	300.00	
R. M. Brown	100.00	
Arthur Etheridge	800.00	
John Bowers Est.:		
Bush land	500.00	
Roby land	700.00	
Bowling land	370.00	
McKeen land	300.00	
Glen land	500.00	
Chase land	150.00	
A. and E. Covey	50.00	
John Woods Est.:		
Pennichuck land	100.00	
Meadow land	100.00	
Sargent land	25.00	
	<hr/>	59,120.00

		BALANCE
<i>Assets</i>		
Cash in the hands of Treasurer		\$6,331.31
Amount due the Town:		
From the County		17.50
Unredeemed taxes current year and previous years sales	\$2,889.27	
Uncollected taxes, 1939	11,885.22	
Uncollected taxes, 1938	302.68	
Uncollected taxes, 1937	63.47	
	<hr/>	15,140.64
Total Assets		<hr/> \$21,489.45
Net department surplus Jan. 31, 1939		\$1,870.00
Net department surplus Jan. 31, 1939		4,543.77
Increase of surplus		2,673.77

**SHEET***Liabilities*

## Amount owed by Town:

Due the School District, balance of appropriation	\$9,212.70
Due the School District, balance of dog licenses	226.79
Road Agent, No. Side, balance W. P. A. appropriation, 1939	217.21
Road Agent, So. Side, balance W. P. A. appropriation, 1939	11.74
Road Agent, So. Side, maintenance, appropriation, 1939	79.30
Indian Head National Bank, temporary loan	6,000.00
Balance of water hole fund	708.79
Outstanding orders	489.15
Total Liabilities	<hr/> \$16,945.68
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	4,543.77
	<hr/> \$21,489.45



# RECEIPTS AND UNIFORM

## *Total Receipts*

Current Revenue from Local Taxes:	
Total tax committed to collector	\$51,915.69
Less discounts and abatements	\$783.50
Less uncollected taxes	11,707.58
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	12,491.08
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	\$39,424.61
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Property tax actually collected	\$39,760.61
Poll tax actually collected	628.00
Nat. Bank Stock actually collected	36.00
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	\$39,424.61

Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected	11,464.39
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Tax sales redeemed	2,769.34
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From State:	
Interest and dividend tax	\$1,156.50
Insurance tax	72.25
Savings Bank tax	855.25
Railroad tax	367.87
Forest fires	161.15
Bounties	2.00
State Athletic Association	7.08
State Flood Aid	118.63
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	\$2,740.73

# **PAYMENTS CLASSIFICATION**

	<i>Payments</i>	
General Government:		
Town officers' salaries	\$1,685.59	
Town officers' expenses	520.07	
Election and registration ex- penses	101.20	
Expenses town hall and other buildings	488.99	\$2,795.85
Overseer of poor	\$253.02	
Issuing 541 auto permits	135.25	
	<hr/>	388.27
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police department, including tramps	\$379.19	
Fire department, including forest fires	1,401.80	
Water hole account	791.21	
Damage by dogs	55.00	
Expense of collecting dog tax	55.05	
	<hr/>	2,682.25
Health Department:		
Salaries and expense		76.65
Highways and Bridges:		
T. R. A.	\$918.87	
Town maintenance	3,901.81	
Snow removal	1,789.96	
Street lighting	91.52	
Snow plows	390.00	
Baboosic special	323.46	
W. P. A.	1,840.65	
	<hr/>	9,256.27
Libraries		900.00
Charities:		
Old age assistance	\$656.81	
Town poor	1,137.44	
County poor	17.50	
	<hr/>	1,811.75

MERRIMACK

# RECEIPTS AND UNIFORM

## Receipts

### From County:

Refund on old age assistance	\$52.50
From the est. of Ida Putnam, reimbursed for old age assistance	300.01

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352.51

### From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Rent of town hall	\$252.75
Telephone	.40
Business licenses and permits	.75
Interest received on taxes	248.11
Dog licenses	336.84
Auto permits, 1938	12.82
Auto permits, 1939	1,592.41
Auto permits, 1940	77.93
Sale of lumber from Harris lot	810.55

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3,332.56



# **PAYMENTS CLASSIFICATION**

## *Payments*

Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day exercises	\$37.72	
Aid to Soldiers and their families	46.00	
Fourth of July celebration	200.00	
	<hr/>	283.72
Recreation:		
Parks and playgrounds		29.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries		36.00
Unclassified:		
Expense tax sale	\$271.00	
Taxes paid on property bought by the town	302.60	
Taxes bought by the town	2,723.70	
Overdraft to collector	48.85	3,297.30
Discounts and abatements	773.10	821.95
Damage and legal expenses	134.81	
Harris lot expense	804.95	
So. Merrimack church yard	36.50	
Selectmen expense on W. P. A.	165.10	
Preambulating town lines, Amherst and Bedford	24.00	
Tax on Harris lot, Bedford	8.45	
	<hr/>	1,173.81
Total Maintenance Expense—		
Outlay of New Construction and Permanent Improvement Highways and Bridges:		
Town construction, oil and sand	\$4,859.47	
Severns bridge	122.37	
General expenses of Highway Department	17.00	
	<hr/>	4,998.84
Total Indebtedness Payments:		
Indian Head National Bank—		
Note	\$6,986.00	
Interest	126.50	
	<hr/>	7,112.50

**RECEIPTS AND  
UNIFORM**

*Receipts*

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

Temporary loan in anticipa- tion of taxes	\$6,000.00	
Refunds	778.28	
Sale of property acquired by tax deeds	493.80	
	<hr/>	7,272.08

Cash on hand February 1, 1939

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\$67,356.22

5,421.08

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\$72,777.30

**PAYMENTS**  
**CLASSIFICATION**

*Payments*

Government Departments:

County tax	\$12,957.87	
School tax	17,688.15	
McGaw High School	135.81	
	<hr/>	30,781.83
Grand Total		<hr/> \$66,445.99

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

### TAXES OF 1939

#### *Dr.*

Taxes committed to collector	\$51,915.69
Added taxes	124.20
Interest	10.76
Refunds	53.44
	<hr/> \$52,104.09

#### *Cr.*

Remittances to treasurer, taxes	\$39,424.61
Remittances to treasurer, interest	10.76
Remittances to treasurer, abatements	108.40
Remittances to treasurer, discounts	675.10
Cash on hand	326.70
Uncollected	11,558.52
	<hr/> \$52,104.09

### TAXES OF 1938

#### *Dr.*

Uncollected February 1, 1939	\$10,597.16
Added taxes	65.04
Interest on taxes, collected	285.98
Interest on taxes, sold	176.82
Costs on taxes, collected	80.23
Tax sales redeemed	872.17
	<hr/> \$12,077.40

#### *Cr.*

Remittances to treasurer, taxes	\$10,284.00
Remittances to treasurer, interest on taxes	293.25
Remittances to treasurer, interest on taxes sold	166.85
Remittances to treasurer, costs	80.23
Remittances to treasurer, abatements	60.00
Remittances to treasurer, taxes redeemed	872.17



Uncollected	290.68
Cash on hand	30.22

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\$12,077.40

## 1935 TAXES REDEEMED

Remittances to treasurer, taxes redeemed	\$30.30
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## 1936 TAXES REDEEMED

Remittances to treasurer, taxes redeemed	\$1,023.20
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## 1937 TAXES

*Dr.*

Uncollected February 1, 1939	\$91.47
Interest on taxes collected	1.86
Tax sales redeemed	2,613.79

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\$2,707.12

*Cr.*

Remittances to treasurer, taxes redeemed	\$2,613.79
Taxes on hand	20.00
Interest on hand	1.86
Abatements on hand	14.00
Uncollected	57.47

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\$2,707.12

## ABATEMENTS OF 1939

Lizzie Buswell	\$2.00	Katherine Phinney	2.00
George Broadbent	2.00	Fred L. Phinney	2.00
Carrie Broadbent	2.00	Marie Welch	2.00
C. H. Frasier	2.00	Tracy Raymond	10.80
Mrs. Hopkins	2.00	Joseph and Bertha	
Mrs. Langevin	2.00	Lyons	10.80
Mrs. Little	2.00	Wm. and Leda Lange	3.60
John McKeowen	2.00	Bert L. Peaslee	7.20
		Eva M. Larviere	54.00

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\$86.40

## ABATEMENTS OF 1938

Margaret Ackerman	\$2.00	Mrs. R. W. Little	2.00
Beverly Ackerman	2.00	Irene McDonald	2.00
Emily Black	2.00	John McKeowen	2.00

Georgia Broadbent	2.00	Joseph Modglin	2.00
Carrie Broadbent	2.00	Viola Modglin	2.00
Carl Bynes	2.00	Margaret O'Leary	2.00
Mabel Corliss	2.00	Truman Parker	2.00
Mabel Creed	2.00	Johnny Piroge	2.00
Adeline Dumont	2.00	Adeline Sargent	2.00
Clyde Gifford	2.00	Harold Sullivan	2.00
Minnie Gifford	2.00	Madeline Vacca	2.00
Mrs. Hopkins	2.00	Lena Watkins	2.00
Robert Jefferson	2.00	Marie Welsh	2.00
Pierre Levesque	2.00	Elwood Wooster	2.00
Louise Levesque	2.00	Yvonne Wooster	2.00
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			\$60.00
		Flora Stoddard	22.96
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			\$82.96

### UNCOLLECTED, 1938

Eva Bartlett	\$2.00	Stanislaw Remlinger	2.00
Arthur Bartlett	2.00	Maria Remlinger	2.00
Eva Beard	2.00	Alice Lestowick	2.00
John Bowers, est.	214.84	Pauline Littlefield	2.00
Walter Black	2.00	Alice McCalvery	2.00
Mary Bogush	2.00	Alice Pike	2.00
Yvonne Carter	2.00	Dommino Rozan	2.00
Alice Carman	2.00	Dorothy Rozan	2.00
Stommea Drobysch	2.00	Adolf Rozan	2.00
Earl Dwire	2.00	Ina Russell	2.00
Oscar Goodbout	2.00	Priscilla Read	2.00
Raymond Hart, Jr.	2.00	Josephine Twardosky	2.00
Josephine Hall	2.00	Louis T. Valley	2.00
Jessie Haight	2.00	Fred Woods	2.00
Catherine Jebbs	2.00	Bessie Woods	2.00
Bronia Lestowick	2.00	Chas. H. Watkins	2.00
Klemens and Bronia		Arthur Cote	10.00
Lestowick	1.84	Mary V. Jenkins	2.00
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			\$290.68

### TAXES ABATED, 1937

Emily Black	\$2.00	John McKeowen	2.00
Louis Levesque	2.00	Freeman Parker	2.00
Irene McDonald	2.00	Catherine Decato	2.00
		Dorothy Maxfield	2.00
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			\$14.00

### UNCOLLECTED, 1937

Arthur Balatos	\$2.00	Adell McKeowen	2.00
Walter Black	2.00	Alice McCalvey	2.00

Mary Bogush	2.00	Jennie Martinkus	2.00
Marion Byam	2.00	Albert Marsh	2.00
Yvonne Carter	2.00	Maria Remlinger	2.00
Raymond Hart	2.00	Alton Read	2.00
Josephine Hall	2.00	Sylvia Read	2.00
Eugene Haight	2.00	Alphonse Trudo	2.00
Jessie Haight	2.00	Grace Jenkins	2.00
Marcel Hoyt	2.00	Dorris Bennett	2.00
Lena Leblanc	2.00	Arthur Burgess	2.65
Bronia Lestowick	2.00	Louis Valley	2.00
Klemens Lestowick	8.82		
			<hr/> \$57.47

## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

NORRIS E. HENDERSON, *Treasurer*

In Account with the Town of Merrimack, N. H.

### *Receipts*

Balance in treasury	\$6,265.87
From Selectmen:	
State interest and dividend tax	1,156.50
Savings bank tax	855.25
Railroad tax	367.87
Insurance tax	72.25
Forest fire aid	161.15
Sale of property	493.80
Rent of town hall	252.75
Overpayment to school treasurer	626.54
Overpayment to E. J. Woodward	149.35
Ada Putnam Estate	300.01
State road flood aid	118.63
County refund for aid	52.50
State bounties	2.00
Sale of Harris lumber	810.55
Use of telephone	.40
Pistol permits	.75
From:	
State Athletic Commission	7.08
Indian Head Natl. Bank, cash on town note	6,000.00
Town Clerk:	
Dog license fees	336.84
1939-40, reg. permits	1,588.92
1938, reg. permits	12.82
1940-41, reg. permits	77.93
1940, transfers	3.49
1939 balance due	2.39
From J. Wilson French, collector of taxes:	
Taxes of 1939	\$39,424.61
Taxes of 1938	7,504.03
Taxes of 1938, sold to the town	2,483.54
Taxes of 1937	22.04
Taxes of 1936	2.00
1938 taxes redeemed	418.50



1937 taxes redeemed	402.81
1936 taxes redeemed	233.77
1938 tax sales redeemed	494.88
1937 tax sales redeemed	339.05
1936 tax sales redeemed	789.43
1935 tax sales redeemed	30.30
Interest on 1939 taxes	8.97
Interest on 1938 taxes	237.73
Interest on 1937 taxes	1.41
Interest collected	224.16
Cost on:	
1938 taxes	78.42
1939 discounts	675.10
1939 abatements	108.40
1938 abatements	60.00
Costs before sale	1.81
Taxes of previous years	304.89
Total Receipts	<hr/> \$73,622.09
Total Orders Paid	66,801.63
Balance in treasury	<hr/> \$6,820.46
Outstanding Orders	\$489.15

NORRIS E. HENDERSON,

*Town Treasurer.*

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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Dog licenses, May 1, 1939 to Jan. 31, 1940:

Issued 4 kennel licenses	\$50.84	
Issued 14 female dog licenses	70.00	
Issued 108 male dog licenses	216.00	
		\$336.84

Paid over to the town treasurer	336.84
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Registration of Motor Vehicles to Jan. 31, 1940:

Issued 541 auto permits	\$1,685.55
Paid over to town treasurer	1,685.55

A true account according to the town records.

DAVID R. JONES,

*Town Clerk.*

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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George W. Carroll, selectman	\$317.45	
P. Henry Cogger, selectman	550.90	
E. W. Carter, selectman	477.24	
David R. Jones, town clerk	35.00	
Norris E. Henderson, Town Treasurer	60.00	
Florence E. Richardson Trustee Trust Fund Clerk	25.00	
Charles L. Stowell, Auditor	10.00	
Wilbur J. Foster, Auditor	10.00	
J. Wilson French, Tax Collector	200.00	
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		\$1,685.59
E. W. Carter, Overseer Poor	\$167.65	
E. W. Carter, Use of Car	82.02	
E. W. Carter, Postage	3.35	
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		\$253.02
David R. Jones, issuing auto permits		\$135.25

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## TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

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David R. Jones, record book	\$7.15
Auto and truck guide	3.75
Regal Printing Press, 550 town reports	119.00
George W. Carroll, use of auto	42.90
George W. Carroll, expense road meeting	2.45
George W. Carroll, expense tax meeting	17.25
George W. Carroll, Postage	1.18
P. Henry Cogger, use of auto	24.58
P. Henry Cogger, expense road meeting	4.45
P. Henry Cogger, expense tax meeting	10.40

E. W. Carter, use of auto	5.00
E. W. Carter, expense road meeting	2.40
E. W. Carter, expense tax meeting	14.94
Charles L. Stowell, postage auditor	6.67
Charles L. Stowell, typing tax notices	4.00
Charles L. Stowell, printing tax notices	4.30
Claude M. Maker, town officers bonds	103.00
Claude M. Maker, Tax collector bonds	
Bal. of 1938 taxes	15.00
Grace Hoffman, postage	20.48
Clifton Greenleaf, putting out town reports	1.00
E. C. Eastman, Town Warrants and supplies	19.31
Keystone Press, rubber stamps	.75
Donat Corriveau, looking up tax deeds	32.10
Recording tax deeds	1.21
Wilfred Bosclair, Register Probate	.90
State Tax Commission, Dues to tax Association	2.00
Philip Morris, office supplies	5.75
Cole Printing, office supplies	20.30
Maxfield Press, printing envelopes	2.35
J. Wilson French, Postage allowed tax collector	20.00
Florence E. Richardson, rent of vault trust funds	5.50

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\$520.07

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### ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

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Louis Hoffman, supervisor check list	\$15.00
Gerald Perry, supervisor check list	15.00
Kenneth Jenkins, supervisor check list	15.00
Leon F. Center, police	6.00
Edmund O'Leary, police	6.00
George Davis, putting up booths	1.60



E. W. Carter, selectman	4.00
George W. Carroll, selectman	4.80
P. Henry Cogger, selectman	4.80
Alden Henderson, ballot clerk	6.00
Charles Stowell, ballot clerk	6.00
Norris E. Henderson, moderator	10.00
Maxfield Press, Town ballots	7.00

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\$101.20

### POLICE DEPARTMENT

Edmund O'Leary, chief	\$205.97
Fred Bennett, police duty	8.47
Leon Center, police duty	33.45
Myron Whalin, police duty	17.40
Gerald Perry, police duty	43.85
John T. Watkins, police duty	24.14
Arthur Bell, police duty	1.00
David Stevens, Justice Peace	3.00
George W. Carroll, aid to tramps	1.10
John B. Varick Co., equipment	40.81

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\$379.19

### FIRE DEPARTMENT

Oscar P. Stone, firemen's dues	\$19.00
Firemen's salary, 38 men @ \$3.00	114.00
Salary, fighting forest fires	
432½ hours	216.25
Merrimack hydrant rent	62.57
Claude Maker, insurance on trucks	180.10
Wilbur Foster, care of trucks	25.00
Justin McCarthy, hose and	
couplings	343.68
W. S. Abbott, supplies	6.60
Clarence A. Smith, gas and oil	10.50
Percy Q. Morse, gas	1.44
W. M. Sterndale, gas	3.88
Greenleafs' Garage gas, oil, repairs	66.63
Merrill's Garage, repairs	4.40

John B. Varick, chains, supplies and ice chisel	24.95	
William Allagier for forest fires	322.80	
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		\$1,401.80
Fire Department expense		<hr/>
Forest Fire expense		\$1,079.00
		322.80
		\$1,401.80
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Refund from State on forest fires		161.15
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		\$1,240.65

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### TOWN POOR

Perley Melvin	\$152.50	
Fred Longa	120.00	
Joseph Houle	189.00	
Charles Weston	7.40	
Emma Rousseau	163.40	
Mrs. Flora Flanders	100.00	
James Collier	46.00	
Fred Woods	6.07	
Harold Decato	5.00	
Gilbert Beard	31.50	
Earl Dwire	316.57	
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		\$1,137.44

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### TABULATION

Food	\$593.47	
Rent	120.00	
Fuel	9.00	
Medical	65.89	
Hospital	160.08	
Board and care	189.00	
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		\$1,137.44
Aid to Soldiers		\$46.00
Old Age Assistance		656.81
County Poor		17.50

## DAMAGE BY DOGS

John McKeown pigs	55.00
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## EXPENSE OF COLLECTING DOG TAX

J. W. French, 121 dog taxes @ .25	30.25	
D. R. Jones, issuing 126 permits	12.60	
D. R. Jones, dog tags and lic. book	12.20	
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		\$55.05

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Dr. Paul de Nicola, expense	61.65	
William Allagier, expense	15.00	
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		\$76.65

## STREET LIGHTING

Reeds Ferry Lights	\$91.52
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## GENERAL EXPENSES HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Road and Bridge Signs	\$17.00
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## SUPPLIES FOR TOWN HALL

C. B. Coburn Co., glass	\$1.75
W. L. Nutting, tuning piano	6.00
Johnson Electric Co., bulbs	3.40
W. S. Abbott, supplies	6.39
Merrill & Whitney, supplies	4.75
Nashua Hardware Co., wash boiler	2.90
Nashua Hardware Co., bulbs, supplies	12.08
E. J. Johnson, 3 cords wood	25.50
Forest Cogger, labor on wood	8.80
C. H. Nute, Jr., labor on wood	6.00
Fred Longa, labor on wood	4.00
Fred Longa, setting window glass	4.40
John B. Varick Co., paper and supplies	25.33
Merrimack Co., water rent	11.55
George Davis, janitor service	224.85
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	60.25

Public Service Co., lights	55.16
Norman Hall, sawing wood	25.88

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\$488.99

#### HARRIS LOT, BEDFORD

J. S. Whitcomb, chopping	\$146.36
Arthur Brace, chopping	123.38
W. S. Bothwick, chopping	15.00
Guy B. Watkins, trucking	197.81
E. W. Carter, labor	89.00
A. Wathen, chopping	12.65
Nat Marshall, chopping	11.00
Charles Beede, logging	209.75

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\$804.95

#### MISCELLANEOUS

Bert E. Gilmore, cutting trees	
South Merrimack Church	36.50
Tax on Harris lot, Bedford	8.45
E. W. Carter, W. P. A. work	87.40
P. H. Cogger, W. P. A. work	77.70
Preambulating town lines, Bedford	
and Amherst, George W. Carroll	8.00
P. H. Cogger	8.00
E. W. Carter	8.00

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\$234.05

#### LIBRARY

Cash	900.00
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#### MEMORIAL DAY

P. Henry Cogger, cookies	\$2.32	
T. P. Haggerty, 3 wreaths	4.50	
Kaolin Farm, ice cream	17.40	
John B. Varick Co., flags	13.50	37.72
Fourth of July Celebration		200.00

#### PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Harry Richardson, Gage lot	7.00
Harry Richardson, Soldier's lot	12.00



Harry Richardson, Town lot	6.00	
E. G. Weston, mowing Thornton Ferry Monument lot	2.00	
E. G. Weston, mowing Center Meeting House lot	2.00	
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## CEMETERIES

E. G. Weston, mowing So. Merrimack Cemetery	\$12.00	
E. G. Weston, mowing Thornton's Ferry Cemetery	10.00	
E. G. Weston, mowing Center Cemetery	10.00	
Carroll Coburn, mowing Reed's Ferry Cemetery	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$36.00

## INTEREST ON TEMPORARY NOTE

Indian Head National Bank		
Interest on note renewed	\$35.00	
Interest on note 1939 note	91.50	
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## DAMAGE AND LEGAL EXPENSES

Edmund O'Leary, witness McKeown Case	\$7.64	
O'Connor & O'Connor, cost of court	66.88	
E. W. Carter, witness	4.00	
Bert L. Peaslee, witness	8.00	
George Carroll, witness	8.55	
Ivory Eaton, legal expense	20.00	
Charles Watkins, witness	6.24	
P. Henry Cogger, witness	8.50	
Dr. Harold Lewis, Prof. Service	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$134.81

## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

T. R. A. Town share 1939	\$827.80
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T. R. A. Town Balance 1938	91.03	
Over run appropriation	.04	
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		\$918.87

## WATER HOLE ACCOUNT

Fred Longa, labor	\$2.00	
George Cunningham, labor	12.00	
Josiah N. Henderson, labor	414.00	
J. Wilson French, sawing lumber	35.15	
W. P. McQuestion, logging & trucking	32.25	
Charles Russell, trucking	7.77	
Adelbert Cheney, supplies	4.00	
W. M. Sterndale, nails, spikes & supplies	8.45	
H. Greenleaf, gas & supplies	4.70	
J. B. Varick Co., rubber boots and tools	31.84	
John McKeown, teaming	6.00	
J. N. Henderson, use of auto	22.70	
Hume Pipe Co., pipe and cement	42.20	
A. Moreau, wire and posts	16.15	
Casellini & Venable Corp.		
1 forest fire pump and hose	152.00	
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		\$791.21
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Appropriation		\$1,500.00
Expended		791.21
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Balance unexpended		\$708.79

## TAXES BOUGHT BY THE TOWN

1938 taxes bought by the town	\$2,556.85	
Cost of sale	189.58	
Interest paid	166.85	
Cost before the sale	77.82	
Reg. Letters	3.60	
1938-1939 taxes on property		
bought by the town	290.10	
Cost of deeds	12.50	
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		\$3,297.30

## HIGHWAYS NORTH SIDE

E. J. WOODWARD, *Road Agent*

Maintenance	\$1,943.04
Snow removal	972.40
Oil and Tar	2,483.17
W. P. A., Town share	852.39
Baboosic Special	323.46

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 \$6,574.46

## HIGHWAYS SOUTH SIDE

BERT GILMORE, *Road Agent*

Maintenance	\$1,958.77
Snow removal	817.56
Oil and Tar	2,376.30
Severns Bridge	122.37
W. P. A. Town Share	988.26

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 \$6,263.26

## NEW EQUIPMENT

One Snow Plow	\$390.00
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## TEMPORARY LOANS

Indian Head National Bank, 1938 Note	\$6,986.00
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## COUNTY TAX

County Tax for 1939	\$12,957.87
Overdrafts, Discounts and Abatements	\$821.95
School Districts	17,688.15
McGaw High School	135.81

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 Total \$66,445.99

E. J. WOODWARD

 In account with the Town of Merrimack, N. H.  
 Year Ending January 31, 1940

## MAINTENANCE

E. J. Woodward	\$191.75
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E. J. Woodward, truck	693.35
George Sargent, truck	85.01
Charles Russell, truck	120.01
Guy B. Watkins, truck	75.56
Patrick Levesque, truck	33.33
Harry Richardson, team	2.80
Harry Richardson, labor	38.00
Robert Henry, labor	15.20
Fred Longa, labor	8.00
Clarence Woodman, labor	36.80
Earl Rogers, labor	18.00
William Watkins, labor	.80
William Longa, labor	48.40
George Longa, labor	64.40
Baldruf Grover, labor	49.60
Truman Parker, labor	37.60
Everett Longa, labor	38.40
Albert Houle, labor	6.40
Walter Pierson, labor	4.00
Adolph Rozan	6.40
Charles Longa	2.40
William Weston	12.80
Edward Longa	19.20
Thomas Murphy	6.40
Charles Hildreth, labor	20.80
J. H. Longa, labor	14.40
Wilfred Houle, labor	3.20
Sam Gussier, labor	14.80
William Cameron, labor	12.40
Ralph Richards, labor	2.00
Thomas Watkins, labor	45.80
Fred Bennett, labor	2.40
Leon Saro, labor	4.00
Francis Bean, labor	2.50
William O'Brien, labor	2.50
Tracy Raymond, labor	6.40
Delmar Cheney, labor	12.80
Harry Parker,	1.60
Robert Parker,	1.60
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	\$1,761.81
E. J. Woodward, Agent	\$191.75
Team and trucks	1,010.06

Supplies	125.36
Labor	560.00

Grand Total	\$1,887.17
Harry Richardson, 89 loads of gravel @ .10 per load	\$8.90
Casellini-Venable Co., 12 No. 2 Bantam shovels @ \$1.18 $\frac{3}{4}$ each	14.25
Martin Hart, 122 loads of gravel @ .10 per load	12.20
International Shoe, 30 loads of cinders @ .25 per load	7.50
Hume Pipe Co., 176 loads of gravel @ .10 per load	17.60
George Bean, 41 loads of gravel @ .10 per load	4.10
Casellini-Venable Co., 6 round point shovels @ \$1.28 $\frac{1}{6}$ each	7.75
Casellini-Venable Co., 18 feet of 12 inch Coated culvert and band	21.66
Osgood Construction Co., 1 roll barbed wire	4.35
E. J. Woodward, 320 feet lumber @ .02 $\frac{1}{2}$ per foot	8.00
E. J. Woodward, 10 lbs. spikes @ .05 per lb.	.50
Wilson French, sawing lumber of town	7.15
Henry Caron, hauling lumber to and from mill	7.50
Peter Monast, mending cement mixer	2.50
Joseph Roux sharpening picks	1.40

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\$125.26

Appropriation for maintenance	\$2,500.00
Bal. from Bridge Account, 1938	99.80
Bal. W. P. A. Account, 1938	287.39

	\$2,887.19
Reserved for W. P. A.	1,000.00

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\$1,887.19  
1,887.17

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Balance \$0.02

EDWIN J. WOODWARD  
OIL AND TAR ACCOUNT

E. J. Woodward, agent \$53.00



E. J. Woodward, truck	136.67
Guy B. Watkins, truck	68.89
George A. Sargent, truck	58.89
Charles Russell, truck	54.44
George Bigwood, truck	10.00

*Labor*

Everett Longa	\$30.80
Fred Woods	9.60
Adolph Rozan	1.60
Charles Longa	3.60
Ralph Richards	17.60
Delmar Cheney	24.80
William Longa	21.20
Thomas Murphy	28.40
Kenneth Wright	13.60
J. H. Longa	28.00
Edward Longa	22.80
Fred Longa	18.00
Charles Hildreth	17.60
Truman Parker	19.60
Alphonse Trudeau	12.40
Tracy Raymond	10.80
Baldruf Grover	10.80
Thomas Gamble	5.60
Harry Martin	9.20
Howard Gamble	9.20
Harry Parker	9.20
A. Levesque	5.60
Edward Weston	5.60
August Celstkwich	9.20
John Pontbriand	5.60
Robert Parker	9.20
George Longa	9.20
Dennis Donovan	2.00
Guy Burroughs	9.20
Milo Fisher	1.60
Wallie Drobysh	1.40

	<hr/>	\$764.89
Daniel D. Steele, honing roads		46.00
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## SUPPLIES FOR OIL AND TAR

Henry Cogger, 137 loads of sand @ .10 per load	\$13.70
Merrimack Farmer's Exchange, 4 brooms @ .90 each	3.60
Lumber and labor, building frames for load limit signs	2.40
80 lbs. spikes at Elmer Fields Auction	1.80
10 lbs. 6 penny nails at Elmer Fields Auction	.60
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	\$832.99
One half of the oil bought by town	1,650.18
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	\$2,483.17

## OIL AND TAR ACCOUNT

Trucks	\$328.89
Agent	53.00
Honing roads	46.00
Supplies	22.10
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	\$449.99
One half oil bought by town	1,650.18
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	\$2,100.17
Labor	383.00
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	\$2,483.17
Appropriation	2,250.00
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Overdrawn	\$233.17

## SNOW ACCOUNT

For Year Ending January 31, 1940

E. J. Woodward, agent	\$66.00
E. J. Woodward, truck	308.61
Guy B. Watkins, truck	135.00
George A. Sargent, truck	208.20
Charles Russell, truck	61.94
Earle Schneiderheing, tractor	3.00
Gilbert Beard, labor	21.00

Raymond Hart, labor	29.60	
Edmund Silver, labor	1.60	
Albert Houle, labor	.80	
Fred Longa, labor	4.90	
Harry Richardson, labor	8.00	
Robert Henry, labor	8.00	
William Watkins,	3.20	
W. Billings	3.60	
Earl Rogers,	11.45	
Harry McCalvery,	5.40	
Leonard Parker,	.80	
George Longa,	12.60	
Clarence Woodman,	9.00	
George Bigwood,	5.50	
James Bigwood	5.00	
Thomas Watkins,	25.00	
Leon Laro,	7.00	
William Longa,	6.40	
Ralph Lynch, labor	6.40	
Edward Longa, labor	2.00	
Everett Longa, labor	3.50	
J. H. Longa, labor	2.00	
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		\$965.50
Supplies		6.90
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Grand Total		\$972.40

## SUPPLIES FOR SNOW ACCOUNT

Edward Hadley, mending wing	\$1.00
Joseph Roux, sharpening picks and mending chains	2.50
Henry Cogger, 34 loads of sand @ .10 per load	3.40
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	\$6.90

W. P. A. ACCOUNT,  
Project No. 1852

E. J. Woodward, supervisor	\$200.60
E. J. Woodward, truck	317.68
George Sargent, truck	42.22
Charles Russell, truck	80.00
Henry Caron, truck	22.78

Guy B. Watkins, truck	15.56	
Everett Longa, labor	7.40	
Delmar Cheney, labor	7.40	
William Longa, labor	15.80	
Ralph Lynch, labor	6.40	
George Longa, labor	3.20	
Harry Richardson, labor	15.80	
Earl Rogers, labor	9.00	
Edward Longa, labor	6.40	
J. H. Longa, labor	6.40	
William Weston, labor	3.20	
Milo Fisher, labor	3.20	
Charles Hildreth, labor	3.20	
John Pontbriand, labor	12.80	
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		\$779.04
Supplies		73.35
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Grand Total		\$852.39
Paid back to Town of Merrimack		69.60
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Balance		\$782.79
SUPPLIES FOR W. P. A. PROJECT NO. 1852		
Hume Pipe Co., 15 bags cement @ .70	\$10.50	
E. J. Woodward, 1700 feet of logs	17.00	
Joseph Roux, sharpening picks	1.80	
Hume Pipe Co., 7 sticks of dynamite @ .15	1.05	
George Felton, 430 loads gravel @ .10	43.00	
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		\$73.35
Received from Maintenance Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Expenses of W. P. A.	782.79	
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Remaining Balance		\$217.21

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION  
BABOOSIC ROAD

E. J. Woodward, agent	\$26.50
E. J. Woodward, truck	47.55
Guy B. Watkins, truck	46.10
George Bigwood, truck	22.22

Charles Russell, truck	23.33	
Henry Caron, truck	23.88	
George Longa, labor	24.40	
Harry Richardson, labor	17.20	
Robert Henry, labor	17.20	
J. H. Longa, labor	6.40	
Edward Longa, labor	6.40	
Everett Longa, labor	6.40	
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		\$267.58

## SUPPLIES

Alfred Bishop, 80 loads gravel @ .10 per load	\$8.00	
George Felton, 240 loads gravel @ .10 per load	24.00	
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Grand Total		\$299.58
Appropriation	\$300.00	
Expense	299.58	
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Balance		\$0.42

## T. R. A. ACCOUNT

E. J. Woodward	\$24.50
E. J. Woodward, truck	50.00
Charles Russell, truck	161.11
George Bigwood, truck	30.00
Henry Caron, truck	104.44
Patrick Levesque, truck	72.22
Guy Watkins, truck	152.22
William Mason, truck	60.00
Edward Zaporoz	15.00
Daniel Steel, roller	132.00
Town of Bedford, grader	28.00
H. H. McClure, water cart	87.75
Arthur Butternfield	4.00
Arthur Fosher	17.50
Leon Weeks	3.20
Carl Emery	7.25
Harry Parker	16.00
Harry Martin	16.40
George Longa	16.00
Jacob Longa	10.80



Truman Parker	16.00	
Robert Henry	10.80	
Balduf Grover	18.00	
Robert Parker	16.00	
Harry Richardson	10.80	
Edward Longa	7.20	
Francis Firn	8.40	
Thomas Watkins	2.00	
Henry Cogger, 105 loads sand	10.50	
George Felton, 314 loads gavel	31.40	
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		\$1,139.49
1939 Appropriation	\$2,069.49	
1938 Appropriation	104.35	
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		\$2,173.84
Trucks Labor	\$1,139.49	
Oil	1,034.35	
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		\$2,173.84

BERT E. GILMORE, *Road Agent*

January 31, 1940

MAINTENANCE

Bert E. Gilmore	\$249.25
Henry J. Caron, truck	85.55
Bert E. Gilmore, truck	296.84
Charles F. Russell, truck	14.44
George E. Bigwood, truck	45.55
Rolland L. Hill, labor	192.60
James B. Guest, labor	129.40
Harry Martin, labor	43.60
Edward Wilkins, labor	27.20
Everett Bennett, labor	18.40
Robert Perkins, labor	32.40
William P. McQuesten, labor	116.60
George Longa, labor	45.20
Howard Gamble, labor	58.40
Frink Tartarchuk, labor	3.20
Wallace Melvin, labor	18.00
Fred W. Wood, labor	2.00

Edward C. Grant, labor	1.60
George Lamphere, labor	10.00
Frank Casavant, labor	44.20
Guy H. Buroughs, labor	87.60
Edward J. Westen, labor	25.80
Arthur Levesque, labor	7.20
Truman Parker, labor	14.40
Gustave LaFontaine, labor	30.60
Theodore Bonney, labor	14.00
Roland Bigwood, labor	7.20
James Bigwood, labor	3.60
William J. Butler, labor	47.60
Thomas Murphy, labor	10.40
Bert L. Peaslee, labor	1.60
Grover C. Balduf, labor	35.20
Elwin French, labor	6.40
Ralph Richards, labor	6.00
Fred Longa, labor	38.40
Leslie Perkins, labor	2.00
Kenneth Keller, labor	9.60
Clarence Worcester, labor	.60
Steve Bogus, labor	.40

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Men and trucks

\$1,783.03

*Expenses*

George Longa, 11 posts @ .20	\$2.20
Allied Steel Co., tools, drills	36.30
Charles S. Haynes, rocks	1.00
Hume Pipe of N. E. Inc., 72 loads gravel, @ .10	7.20
Louis J. Levesque, 40 loads gravel @ .10	4.00
Oscar Pike, 36 loads gravel @ .10	3.60
Bert E. Gilmore, 212 loads gravel @ .10	21.20
John B. Varick Co., shovels	16.13
Eddy F. Labrie, Welding Grader, sharpening tools	15.00
Hume Pipe of N. E. Inc., Concrete Pipe	62.27
Nashua Hardware Co., 2 bush scythes & snaths	6.84

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Total Expenses

\$175.74

Men and trucks

1,783.03

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Grand Total

\$1,958.77

Balance 1938 Maintenance	\$21.83
Balance 1938 W. P. A.	516.24
Balance 1939 Appropriation	2,500.00
Total Available	3,038.07
Reserved for W. P. A.	1,000.00
Expended	\$2,038.07
Unexpended Balance	1,958.77
	\$79.30

BERT E. GILMORE, *Road Agent*

January 31, 1940

TAR AND OIL

Bert Gilmore	\$60.00
Bert Gilmore, truck	71.56
Henry J. Caron, truck	34.44
George E. Bigwood, truck	50.00
Gustave LaFontaine, labor	43.40
James B. Guest, labor	39.40
Robert Parker, labor	14.00
Roland L. Hill, labor	55.00
Guy H. Burroughs, labor	44.00
Harry Martin, labor	41.20
Arthur Levesque, labor	41.20
Truman Parker, labor	32.00
John Pontbriand, labor	18.20
George Longa, labor	23.20
Edward J. Weston, labor	32.00
August Cieslukwich, labor	8.80
Robert Henry, labor	7.20
Harry Richardson, labor	7.20
Harry Parker, labor	8.80
Ernest Gamble, labor	8.80
Everett Longa, labor	1.60
Charles Longa, labor	1.60
Dennis Donovan, labor	1.60
Men and trucks	\$645.20
<i>Expenses</i>	
Frank Powell, gas and oil for mixer	\$2.42

Daniel D. Steele, honing roads	48.00
Bert E. Gilmore, 50 loads sand @ .10	5.00
Alice Shattuck, 50 loads sand @ .10	5.00
Hume Pipe of N. E. Inc., 82 loads sand @ .25	20.50
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Total Expenses	\$80.92
Men and trucks	645.20
Oil	1,650.18
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Grand Total	\$2,376.30
Total Expenditure	\$2,376.30
Total Appropriation	2,250.00
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Over run	\$126.30

BERT E. GILMORE, *Road Agent*

January 31, 1940

T. R. A.

State Road Aid

Bert E. Gilmore	\$174.25
Bert E. Gilmore, truck	118.93
George E. Bigwood, truck	346.33
Guy B. Watkins, truck	72.15
Patrick P. Levesque, truck	75.48
Henry J. Caron, truck	163.17
Edwin J. Woodward, truck	4.44
George A. Sargent, truck	8.88
Charles F. Russell, truck	158.18
Rolland L. Hill, labor	67.00
James B. Guest, labor	28.80
Guy H. Burroughs, labor	118.60
James G. Bigwood, labor	51.40
Robert E. Perkins, labor	61.60
Leslie R. Perkins, labor	30.60
Edward J. Weston, labor	28.80
Fred W. Wood, labor	72.80
Harry C. Martin, labor	93.00
Ernest A. Gamble, labor	27.40
Arthur C. Levesque, labor	40.60
Roland J. Levesque, labor	9.60
William P. McQuesten, labor	26.80
George Longa, labor	25.00

Gustave LaFontaine, labor	28.20	
Howard Gamble, labor	20.40	
William J. Butler, labor	73.80	
Edward C. Grant, labor	12.80	
Harry A. Parker, labor	71.20	
Robert A. Parker, labor	3.20	
Clements Lester, labor	74.40	
Frank L. Casavant, labor	56.60	
Grover C. Balduf, labor	59.40	
John Pontbriand, labor	37.20	
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Total men and trucks		\$2,241.01
<i>Expenses</i>		
Raymond W. Westen, 56 loads gravel @ .10		\$5.60
William R. Westen, 56 loads gravel @ .10		5.60
Bert E. Gilmore, 1681 loads gravel @ .10		168.10
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Total Expenses		\$179.30
Total men and trucks		2,241.01
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Grand Total		\$2,420.31
Left over, 1938		\$350.82
1939 Appropriation		2,069.49
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Total Appropriation		\$2,420.31
Total Amount Spent		\$2,420.31

## SNOW AND SANDING

BERT E. GILMORE, *Road Agent*

January 31, 1940

Bert E. Gilmore	\$46.50
Bert E. Gilmore, truck	224.61
Patrick P. Levesque, truck	186.25
Rolland L. Hill, labor	80.35
James B. Guest, labor	44.30
Edward Wilkins, labor	13.50
Loriner Perkins, labor	2.00
Robert Perkins, labor	2.60
Leslie Perkins, labor	5.00
Fred Perkins, Jr., labor	2.00
Everett Bennett, labor	11.00



John Lester, labor	.50	
Thomas Watkins, labor	.50	
Lewis Forest, labor	13.50	
Raymond Forest, labor	13.50	
Roland Levesque, labor	13.00	
Ernest Morse, Sr., labor	7.75	
Simon Jenness, labor	6.75	
Forest Pike, labor	13.00	
Bert L. Peaslee, labor	3.50	
Guy H. Burroughs, labor	2.80	
William P. McQuesten, labor	6.80	
William J. Butler, labor	6.80	
Thomas Murphy, labor	1.40	
Alden Henderson, labor	13.70	
Myron Whalin, labor	10.50	
Total Men and Trucks		\$732.11

### *Expenses*

Eddy F. Labrie, bolts and labor, P. L. plow	\$1.50	
L. Semenau, sand, 8 loads at .20	1.60	
Hume Pipe of N. E., Inc., sand, 51 loads at .25	12.75	
R. C. Hazelton Co., 2 plow blades and repairs,	30.35	
John B. Varick Co., 20 bags calcium Chloride at \$1.80	36.00	
Edmond E. Nadeau, straightening and weld- ing P. L. plow	3.25	
Total Expenses		\$85.45
Total Men and Trucks		732.11
Grand Total		\$817.56

### SEAVERNS BRIDGE

BERT E. GILMORE, *Road Agent*

January 31, 1940

Bert E. Gilmore	\$13.00
Bert E. Gilmore, truck	.72
Rolland L. Hill, labor	18.40
James B. Guest, labor	13.20
Theodore Bonney, labor	2.80
George Bigwood, labor	5.60

James Bigwood, labor	2.80
Roland Bigwood, labor	2.80

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Men and Truck	\$59.32
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*Expenses*

Tolles Bickford Lumber Co., Inc.	\$57.45
Osgood Construction Co., keg nails	3.85
Bert E. Gilmore, spikes and iron	1.75

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Total Expenses	\$63.05
Total Men and Trucks	59.32

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Grand Total	\$122.37
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## W. P. A.

Bert E. Gilmore	\$142.50
Bert E. Gilmore, truck & driver	396.83
Henry J. Caron, truck	31.08
George E. Bigwood, truck	33.30
Patrick P. Levesque, truck	34.97
Charles F. Russell, truck	31.08
Thomas Murphy, labor	48.70

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Total men and trucks	\$718.46
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*Expenses*

Hume Pipe of N. E., 43 loads gravel @ .10	\$4.30
Hume Pipe of N. E., concrete pipe	192.00
Bert E. Gilmore, 735 loads gravel @ .10	73.50

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Total Expenses	\$269.80
Men and Trucks	718.46

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Grand Total	\$988.26
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Appropriation	\$1,000.00
	988.26

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Balance	\$11.74
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## REPORT OF THE TOWN FORESTRY COMMITTEE

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Cash on hand February 1, 1939	\$185.47
Interest added during the year	3.72

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Cash Balance February 1, 1940	\$189.19
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ARTHUR G. GORDON,  
JOHN W. WRIGHT,  
E. W. CARTER,  
GEO. W. CARROLL,  
BERT L. PEASLEE,  
*Town Forest Committee.*

## REPORT OF THE WATER HOLE ACCOUNT

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Total appropriation	\$1,500.00
Expended	791.21
Unexpended balance	\$708.79

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### TABULATION

	Town cost	W. P. A. cost	Total cost
Welch water hole	\$140.90	\$359.20	\$500.10
Clement water hole	164.64	790.00	954.64
Bishop water hole	97.59	384.40	491.99
Griffin water hole	60.45	225.60	286.05
Watkins water hole	18.50	74.00	92.50
Cogger water hole	87.87	144.80	332.67
	<hr/> \$791.21	<hr/> \$1,978.00	<hr/> \$2,769.21

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON,  
JOHN W. WRIGHT,  
GEO. W. CARROLL,  
P. HENRY COGGER,  
E. W. CARTER,  
*Water Hole Committee.*

## REPORT OF THE HARRIS LOT, BEDFORD

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Sale of lumber to the government	\$810.55
Cost of Operating:	
Chopping	\$308.39
Logging	209.75
Trucking	197.81
General labor	89.00
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Balance unexpended	\$5.60

GEO. W. CARROLL,  
P. HENRY COGGER,  
E. W. CARTER,

*Selectmen.*

## SHEDD-HARRIS MEMORIAL WATER SYSTEM

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Your committee ever mindful of your wholehearted co-operation in this utility takes great pleasure in submitting this report for the fiscal year 1939.

Notes outstanding, November 30, 1938:

F. P. Smith	\$188.38	
Geo. W. Carroll	518.17	
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Cash on hand:

Amoskeag National Bank	\$12.51	
Amoskeag Savings Bank	386.16	
	<hr/>	\$398.67

Notes Outstanding November 30, 1939:

F. P. Smith	\$142.72	
Geo. W. Carroll	240.05	
	<hr/>	\$382.77

Operating Report:

Revenue collected Nov. 30, 1938 to	
Nov. 30, 1939	\$583.20
Outstanding accounts Nov. 30, 1939	349.09

Operating expenses	\$284.35	
Payment on loan	278.12	
Interest on loan	20.73	
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GEO. W. CARROLL,  
*Chairman Committee.*

ARTHUR G. GORDON,  
JOHN W. WRIGHT,  
EDWARD W. CARTER,  
FRANKLIN L. HASELTINE,



# TRUST FUNDS

# Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Merrimack, N. H., on January 31, 1940

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income			
					on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	on Hand at End of Year
CEMETERY FUNDS								
1924	John Anderson, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	100.00	3	.41	3.04	3.25	.20
1919	Jennie Arthur, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	100.00	3	2.37	3.11	4.00	1.48
1921	Perley E. Austin, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	100.00	3	6.22	3.22	4.00	5.45
1929	Mary E. Anderson, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	50.00	3	.12	1.51	1.50	.13
1915	W. A. Barker, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	100.00	3	2.49	3.11	3.00	2.60
1906	Reuben Barnes, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	100.00	3	12.42	3.43	4.50	11.35
1924	Herman O. Bean, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	150.00	3	5.60	4.72	5.00	5.32
1924	Willie E. Betterley, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	100.00	3	3.39	3.14	5.00	1.53
1898	James W. Blood, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	100.00	3	8.56	3.30	4.25	7.61
1912	Horatio O. Bowers, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	100.00	3	.73	3.06	3.25	.54
1912	David H. Boynton, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	50.00	3	2.32	1.67	1.75	2.17
1912	Turessa A. Clark, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	200.00	3	88.59	8.78	10.00	87.37
1929	Elvord G. Chamberlin, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	100.00	3	.08	3.04	3.00	.12
1932	Alvin G. Cheever, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	150.00	3	1.07	4.60	4.50	1.17
1936	Ida F. Cotton, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	100.00	3	1.08	3.08	3.25	.91
1937	Corning-Merrill, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	130.00	3	.75	3.96	3.75	.96
1926	Roseanna J. Dow, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	100.00	3	1.75	3.10	4.00	.85
1916	Mathew Dickey, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	100.00	3	1.17	3.07	3.25	.99
1928	Hazen G. Dodge, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	150.00	3	2.14	4.63	5.00	1.77
1916	James B. Elliott, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	100.00	3	5.63	3.22	4.00	4.85
1923	James W. Ferguson, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	100.00	3	1.66	3.10	3.50	1.26
1920	Herman S. and Susan H. Fields, Cem.	..... Amoskeag	200.00	3	9.73	6.38	8.00	6.13
1919	Levi Fisher, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	100.00	3	8.82	3.31	6.00	8.11
1908	S. C. Follansbee, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	100.00	3	16.27	3.55	5.00	14.82
1912	James W. Fosdick, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester	100.00	3	.09	3.04	3.00	.13
1926	John D. Fraser, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	100.00	3	.24	3.04	3.00	.28
1930	Joseph H. Foster, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	100.00	3	.13	3.04	3.00	.17
1933	Samuel Fuller, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	100.00	3	2.13	3.10	3.00	2.23
1922	Augustus L. Gilson, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag	100.00	3	2.21	3.11	3.50	1.82

1224	Arthur G. Gordon, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	6.67	3.24	4.00	5.91
1218	Harrison F. Green, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	4.43	3.18	4.00	3.61
1227	Martha J. Griffin, Cemetery Fund	.....	300.00	3	19.28	9.71	9.00	19.99
1236	Sarah F. Griffin, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	.11	3.04	3.04	.15
1239	George B. Griffin, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	.....	.....	.....	.....
1217	Mary A. Gordon, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	19.35	3.64	6.00	16.99
1208	Horace S. Gould, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	29.68	3.95	5.50	28.13
1212	Alice Gray, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	.09	3.04	3.00	.13
1239	George T. Gilman, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	.....	.....	.....	.....
1224	James E. Hale, Cemetery Fund	.....	150.00	3	8.48	4.81	6.00	7.29
1921	David D. Henderson, Cemetery Fund	.....	50.00	3	1.52	1.56	1.50	1.58
1921	Hannah E. Henderson, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	3.87	3.16	4.00	3.03
1913	Henry F. Herrick, Cemetery Fund	.....	200.00	3	14.23	6.53	8.00	12.76
1917	Isaac A. Hodgman, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	41.13	4.30	7.00	38.43
1915	Isaac A. Hodgman, Cemetery Fund	.....	150.00	3	7.77	4.81	5.00	7.58
1918	J. B. Hood, Cemetery Fund	.....	52.00	3	10.13	2.20	2.00	10.33
1931	Beulah Graves Harmon, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	.08	3.04	3.00	.12
1936	Harrison E. Herrick, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	.08	3.04	3.00	.12
1936	Dana R. and Flora E. Hutchinson, Cem.	.....	150.00	3	6.91	3.21	.....	10.12
1937	Leslie C. Hunter, Cemetery Fund	.....	150.00	3	.80	4.59	4.50	.89
1938	Larence L. Hill, Cemetery Fund	.....	150.00	3	.....	4.53	4.00	.53
1930	Fredman Hill, Cemetery Fund	.....	1,000.00	3	.....	12.50	.....	12.50
1910	Daniel T. Ingalls, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	1.77	3.10	3.25	1.62
1918	Jennie A. Ingalls, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	3.38	3.14	4.00	2.52
1922	Louise M. Jones, Cemetery Fund	.....	50.00	3	2.20	1.57	1.75	2.02
1922	Louise M. Jones, Cemetery Fund	.....	50.00	3	2.20	1.57	1.75	2.02
1907	George H. Jones, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	.80	3.05	3.00	.85
1931	Albert A. Jones, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	.17	3.04	4.00	.21
1921	John M. Keep, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	9.01	3.32	3.00	8.33
1922	George A. Kimball, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	2.52	3.12	4.00	1.64
1932	Anne King, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	1.31	3.07	3.00	1.38
1938	Catherine H. Kittredge, Cemetery Fund	.....	200.00	3	1.00	8.15	7.00	2.15
1939	Eri and Lucretia Kittredge, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	.....	.....	.....	.....
1926	Charles G. Lawrence, Cemetery Fund	.....	200.00	3	16.53	6.58	6.00	17.11
1921	Henry A. Lawrence, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	5.71	3.22	4.00	4.93
1936	Leon E. Longa, Cemetery Fund	.....	150.00	3	.55	4.56	4.50	.61
1915	Robert Mears, Cemetery Fund	.....	200.00	3	1.27	6.10	7.00	.37
1915	William P. Melvin, Cemetery Fund	.....	300.00	3	36.70	10.23	8.00	38.93
1920	John Merriam, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	2.42	2.42	3.75	1.78
1928	Mary Fuller Merrill, Cemetery Fund	.....	300.00	3	19.74	9.74	12.00	17.48
1914	W. D. Mitchell, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	1.83	3.10	3.00	1.93
1917	George W. Moulton, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	2.66	3.12	4.00	1.78
1928	Dr. Edwin Hart Merriam, Cem. Fund	.....	100.00	3	1.94	3.10	3.75	1.29
1934	Hannah Mears, Cemetery Fund	.....	100.00	3	.84	3.05	3.00	.84
1913	McClure, Cemetery Fund	.....	300.00	3	.25	3.04	3.00	.29
		.....			19.74	9.74	12.00	17.48

# Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Merrimack, N. H., on January 31, 1940

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED				Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1924	McGaw, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	1.43	3.08	3.50	1.01		
1925	J. L. McIntire, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	.59	3.06	3.25	.40		
1929	Simon and John McGilvray, Cem. Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	200.00	3	2.85	6.17	7.00	2.02		
1912	Charles S. Nesmith, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	200.00	3	21.54	6.76	9.00	19.30		
1923	Lucy C. Nichols, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	2.32	3.11	3.50	1.33		
1924	Mathew P. Nichols, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	1.06	3.07	3.25	.88		
1929	Sullivan Nesmith, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	100.00	3	1.04	3.07	3.25	.86		
1919	Charles W. Parker, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	50.00	3	16.04	2.02	3.00	15.06		
1924	Frank E. Parker, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	50.00	3	1.00	1.54	1.50	1.04		
1916	Laura E. Parker, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	100.00	3	6.91	3.25	4.00	6.16		
1920	George S. Parkhurst, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	200.00	3	3.16	6.19	6.00	3.35		
1927	Alma S. Patterson, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	6.25	3.23	3.25	6.23		
1917	Betsey J. Patterson, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	50.00	3	8.62	1.78	2.00	8.40		
1917	Betsey J. Patterson, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	100.00	3	6.80	3.25	5.00	5.05		
1918	Warren W. Pillsbury, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	100.00	3	3.05	3.16	4.00	3.11		
1929	Thomas Parker, Heirs, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	150.00	3	4.67	4.71	4.25	5.13		
1934	Ward & Everett Parker, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	150.00	3	.60	4.57	4.50	.67		
1926	Lewis J. Read, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	.57	3.05	3.00	.62		
1925	Luther Read, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	.08	3.04	3.00	.12		
1924	Charles A. Roberts, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	1.30	3.08	3.50	.07		
1915	Franklin T. Scavens, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	100.00	3	3.66	3.16	4.00	2.82		
1924	Isaac Coombs Shedd, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	300.00	3	25.50	9.90	10.00	25.40		
1921	Elizabeth Beyson Shedd, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	200.00	3	12.20	6.47	8.00	10.67		
1917	Daniel H. Smith, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	100.00	3	4.74	3.18	4.00	3.92		
1922	Souhegan Lodge, I.O.O.F. Cem. Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	200.00	3	12.12	6.47	8.00	10.51		
1928	John E. & Herman M. Stowell, Cem.	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	.66	3.05	3.00	.71		
1932	L. E. Sanderson, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	.17	3.04	3.00	.21		
1918	James S. Thornton Post, G.A.R., Cem.	Manchester	Savings Bank	190.00	3	24.21	13.27	...	262.48		
1930	Moses Truell, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	.85	3.06	3.50	.91		
1921	M. W. Wallace & D. Barnes, Cem. Fund	Amoskeag	Savings Bank	100.00	3	.90	3.06	3.50	.46		
1920	James Walch, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	Savings Bank	100.00	3	6.59	3.24	4.00	5.83		



1925	Leonard Walker, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3	.45	3.04	3.00	3.04	.49
1916	George & Eliza Watkins, Cemetery Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	200.00	3	13.49	6.49	7.00	6.49	12.98
1926	George W. M. West, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3	.04	3.04	3.00	3.04	.08
1927	Ellen Wheeler, Cemetery Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	200.00	3	1.38	6.12	6.00	6.12	1.50
1922	Jane M. Wilkins, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3	1.71	3.10	3.50	3.10	1.31
1910	Henry J. Wilson, Cemetery Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	100.00	3	1.18	3.08	3.50	3.08	.76
1922	Elizabeth A. Wood, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3	1.70	3.06	3.50	3.06	.26
1914	A. McC. Wilkins, Cemetery Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	100.00	3	7.20	3.26	4.00	3.26	6.46
1928	Thomas H. Watkins, Cemetery Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	100.00	3	1.87	3.10	3.25	3.10	1.72
1937	William Wells, Cemetery Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	100.00	3	.28	3.04	3.00	3.04	.33
1938	Jeremiah Woods, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3	.....	2.00	1.50	2.00	.50
	<b>Total</b>		14,772.00		\$913.39	\$452.23	\$469.00	\$452.23	\$896.62
1926	Charles G. Lawrence, Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	\$500.00	3	.....	\$15.22	\$15.22	\$15.22	.....
1921	Henry A. Lawrence, Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	60.28	3	.....	1.84	1.84	1.84	.....
1917	Beisey Patterson, Library Fund	U. S. Treasury Bond	500.00	3 1/4	.....	16.25	16.25	16.25	.....
	<b>Total</b>		\$1,210.28		.....	4.56	4.56	4.56	.....
	<b>SCHOOL FUNDS</b>					\$37.87	\$37.87	\$37.87	.....
1884	Jane N. Gage, School Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	\$1,425.54	3	.....	\$43.41	\$43.41	\$43.41	.....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2,100.00	2 7/8	.....	60.37	60.37	60.37	.....
1884	Joseph N. Gage, School Fund	U. S. Treasury Bonds	3,000.00	3	.....	90.00	90.00	90.00	.....
1884	Joseph N. Gage, School Fund	U. S. Treasury Bonds	1,100.00	3 1/4	.....	35.75	35.75	35.75	.....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	2,712.57	3	.....	82.60	82.60	82.60	.....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	3,010.60	3	.....	91.68	91.68	91.68	.....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	1,006.99	3	.....	30.68	30.68	30.68	.....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	2,000.00	3	.....	60.90	60.90	60.90	.....
1926	Charles G. Lawrence, School Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1,000.00	3	.....	30.46	30.46	30.46	.....
1921	Henry Lawrence, School Fund	U. S. Treasury Bonds	60.28	3	.....	1.84	1.84	1.84	.....
1921	Henry Lawrence, School Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	500.00	2 7/8	.....	14.37	14.37	14.37	.....
1913	McClure, School Fund	Manchestor Savings Bank	500.00	3	.....	15.22	15.22	15.22	.....
	<b>Total</b>		\$18,415.98		.....	\$557.25	\$557.25	\$557.25	.....

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief. Dated January 26, 1940.

IBRA J. FOSTER,  
HAZEL L. WHITE,  
FLORENCE E. RICHARDSON,  
*Trustees.*



# LIBRARY TRUSTEES' REPORT

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*Dr.*

Cash on hand February 1, 1939	\$343.00
Orders on town	900.00
Interest on Betsy Patterson fund	4.56
Interest on Henry Lawrence fund	18.09
Interest on Chas. Lawrence fund	15.22
Library fines and books sold	17.95

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\$1,298.82

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Library salaries	\$516.00
Books and magazines	406.79
Fuel	24.63
Lights	20.00
Water	9.52
Supplies	.90
Balance on hand	320.98

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\$1,298.82

Library Insurance Fund	\$33.00
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MERTON W. FISK,  
J. WILSON FRENCH,  
FRANKLIN HASELTINE.

*Library Trustees.*

## LIBRARY REPORT

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Number of books in library	7,438
Number of books added by gift	81
Number of books added by purchase	359
Whole number of books added	440
Number of books discarded	51
Number of books lost	13
Number of books loaned adults	6,823
Number of books loaned children	1,903
Number of books loaned South Merrimack	240
Number of magazines loaned adults	1,418
Number of magazines loaned children	468
Whole number of books and magazines loaned	10,852
Number of new cards	48
Number of visitors	66

On reviewing the year's library work for our report we find that our readers have an increasing interest in the current best sellers, non-fiction as well as fiction.

We have purchased most of these, as well as books of permanent value and necessarily many of passing interest.

There are borrowers of library books who do not realize that unnecessary over due books cause an inconvenience to the library also deprives others of their use.

Of the thirteen books lost this year one was paid for.

One book lost belonged to a set and cannot be replaced.

On inquiry these losses were found to be due to carelessness.

### *Adult Fiction*

Aldrich—Song of Years  
 Ash—Blazing Tumbleweeds (Gift of Sylvia Read)  
 Ayers—Moon in the Window  
 Ayers—The Tree Drops a Leaf  
 Ayers—Somebody Else  
 Baldwin—Enchanted Oasis  
 Basso—Days Before Lent

Benét—Tales Before Midnight  
 Blodgett—Down-East Duchess  
 Bower—Pirates of the Range (Gift of A. Gordon)  
 Bowman—Love Can Wait  
 Brand—The Streak  
 Brand—Singing Guns  
 Brand—The Iron-Trail  
 Buchan—The Man From Norlands  
 Buck—The Patriot  
 Cameron—At the End of a Texas Rope  
 Canfield—Seasoned Timber  
 Carmer—Listen for a Lonesome Drum  
 Carroll—Is there a Baby in the House?  
 Case—Big Timber  
 Cave—Wild Peach  
 Christie—Death on the Nile  
 Christie—Death in the Air  
 Clevenger—Spring May be Late  
 Coolidge—Snake Bit Jones  
 Cervantes—Don Quixote  
 Deeping—The House of Spies  
 Dell—Serpent in the Garden  
 Dell—The Juice of the Pomegranate  
 Doran—Love Has Wings  
 Douglass—Disputed Passage  
 Douglass—Doctor Hudson's Secret Journal  
 Duffield—Glittering Heights  
 DuMaurier—The Loving Spirit  
 DuMaurier—The Progress of Julius  
 Dwight—Drums in the forest  
 Eberhart—Hasty Wedding  
 Eberhart—The Glass Slipper  
 Farnol—The Crooked Furrow  
 Farnol—The Lonely Road  
 Ferber—Show Boat  
 Ferber—So Big (Gift of Polly White)  
 Fisher—Children of God  
 Forester—Flying Colours  
 Foster—Half Mile to Heaven  
 Frane—Brave Tears  
 Frankau—The Dangerous Years  
 Frayne—Change of Heart  
 Gardner—Case of the Substitute Face  
 Golding—Mr. Emmanuel

Goldsmith—Vicar of Wakefield (Gift of Thelma Burgess)  
 Greig—Stopover in Paradise  
 Greig—Strange Beauty  
 Grey—Hashknife Outfit  
 Grey—Western Union  
 Grey—Raiders of Spanish Peaks  
 Groseclose—Ararat  
 Hauck—Chan Osborne's Wife  
 Hauck—Whippoorwill House  
 Hauck—One is Beloved  
 Hemingway—A Farewell to Arms  
 Hemingway—In Our Time  
 Hemingway—To Have and Have Not  
 Hemingway—Winner Take Nothing  
 Hemingway—Men Without Women  
 Hemingway—The Sun Also Rises  
 Hendryx—Blood of the North  
 Henty—Five Volumes (Gift of Mrs. Boardman)  
 Hill—The Beloved Stranger  
 Hill—Dawn of the Morning  
 Hill—A New Name  
 Hill—Marigold  
 Holton—Feathered Water  
 Innes—The Spider Strikes  
 Irwin—The Bride  
 Jackson—Diamonds of Death  
 Jennings—Next to Valor  
 Jones—The Shining Spirit  
 Kerr—Stay Out of My Life  
 Keyes—The Great Tradition  
 Kline—Call of the Savage  
 Knibbs—Gentlemen Hush  
 Lambert—Lines for a Lady  
 Larrimore—No Lovelier Spring  
 Larrimore—True by the Sun  
 Larrimore—Robin Hill  
 Larrimore—Tarpaper Palace  
 Larrimore—Tuesday Never Comes  
 Le May—The Smoky Years  
 Le May—Cattle Kingdom  
 Lincoln—The Ownley Inn  
 Lincoln—All Along Shore  
 Loring—Swift Water

Loring—Hilltop Clear  
 Loring—Give Me One Summer  
 Loring—Trail of Conflict  
 Loring—Uncharted Seas  
 MacDonald—Sleepy Horse Range  
 Marquand—Wickford Point  
 Marshall—Sam Campbell Gentleman  
 Marshall—The White Brigand  
 Marshall—Land of Their Fathers  
 Mason—Three Harbours  
 Maughan—Christmas Holiday  
 Maxwell—Young Hearts  
 McCord—One Way Street  
 McCord—Dotted Line Honeymoon  
 McCord—The Return of Joan  
 McKenna—The Enchanted Park  
 Moore—A Ranger Rides Alone  
 Moore—Gun Smoke at Clarion  
 Mowery—Challenge of the North  
 Mulford—Rustler's Valley  
 Mulford—The Hopalong Cassidy Big 3  
 Mulock—John Halifax, Gentleman (Gift of Thelma  
     Burges)  
 Noble—Palm Beach Nurse  
 Nardoff—No More Gas  
 Norris—Baker's Dozen  
 O'Brien—Fifty Best American Short Stories  
 Ogden—Stockyards Cowboy  
 Oppenheim—Spymaster  
 Oppenheim—The Strange Boarders of Palace Crescent  
 Page—Tree of Liberty  
 Parker—Here Lies  
 Paterson—Take these hands  
 Payne—Beyond the Badlands  
 Phillpotts—Portrait of a Scoundrel  
 Phillpotts—The Grey Room  
 Powell—The tenth Moon  
 Radcliffe—Sunshine Ahead  
 Raine—Bucky Follows a Cold Trail  
 Raine—On the Dodge  
 Riddell—Silent World  
 Robbins—Life and Love  
 Roe—Black Bell Rides the Uplands



Rollins—Love's Tapestry  
 Sabatini—The Historical Nights Entertainment  
 Sangster—Surgical Call  
 Seifert—Land of Tomorrow  
 Sharp—Harlequin House  
 Snow—The Rider of San Felipe  
 Steinbeck—The Grapes of Wrath  
 Stern—The Ugly Daschund  
 Strange—Sudden Rides Again  
 Street—Summer's End  
 Swigget—The Rebel Raider  
 Tarkington—Monsieur Beaucaire  
 Tarkington—Presenting Lily Mars  
 Taylor—Figure Away  
 Thane—Cloth of Gold  
 Thayer—Ransom Racket  
 Thirkell—The Brandons  
 Thirkell—Pomfret Towers  
 Town—The Shop of Dreams  
 Vance—Escape  
 Walling—Marooned With Murder  
 Walling—Corpse in the Green Pajamas  
 Watkin—On Borrowed Time  
 Wells—Wooden Indian  
 Wentworth—Down Under  
 Wharton—Ethan Frome  
 White—The Code of the Northwest  
 Williams—Thread of Scarlet  
 Winslow—I Love the King  
 Young—Red Clark Range Boss  
 Yutang—Moment in Peking  
 Twenty two volumes (Gift of Mabel French)

*Juvenile Fiction*

Alcott—An Old-Fashioned Girl (Gift of Polly White)  
 Alee—Runaway Linda  
 Angelo—Nino  
 Angelo—Golden Gate  
 Bannon—Manuela's Birthday  
 Barbour—Left Half Harmon (Gift)  
 Bennett—Hannah Marie  
 Bianco—Other People's Houses  
 Bracher—Chester  
 Brier—Skycruiser

Buckley—Away we Go  
 Buckley—Happy Times  
 Buff—Kobi  
 Bugbee—Peggy Covers London  
 Burglon—Lost Island  
 Calhoun—Dorothy's Rabbit Stories (Gift of Thelma Burgess)  
 Carter—A Patriot Lad of Old New Hampshire  
 Chapman—Clue of the Faded Dress  
 Coblentz—The Wonder Stick  
 Daulaire—East of the Sun  
 Davis—Hobby Horse Hill  
 De Angeli—Ski-pack School  
 Dodge—Hans Brinker  
 Doon—Red Beards of the Yellow River  
 Filosa—Susi  
 Fishwick—White Coats  
 Fleming—The Pygmy's Arrow  
 Fox—Little Bear's Ups and Downs (Gift of Polly Fulton—Laidy White)  
 Fulton—Powder Dock Mystery  
 Goggin—An Ear for Uncle Emil  
 Gray—Little Orphan Annie and Jumbo (Gift of Polly White)  
 Harper—Forgotten Gods  
 Holbrook—Cap'n Benny's Birdhouses  
 Hope—Bunny Brown, eight volumes, (Gift of Thelma Burgess)  
 Irving—Rip Van Winkle  
 Knapp—Boy and the Baron  
 Knox—Swift Flies the Falcon  
 Lederer—The Eagle's Quest  
 Le Grand—What About Willie  
 Lenski—Ocean Born Mary  
 Lewis—Ho Ming, Girl of China  
 Machetanz—Penuck  
 MacKnight—Time for Bed  
 Malkus—The Silver Llama  
 Mallette—No Vacancies  
 Mathewson—Second Base Sloan (Gift)  
 Meader—Who Rides in the Dark?  
 Medary—Joan and the Three Deer  
 Meder—Bat

Nolan—Hobnailed Boots  
 Parton—Runaway Prentice  
 Pease—Highroad to adventure  
 Pease—Ship Without a Crew  
 Pyle—Otto of the Silver Hand  
 Rickenbacker—Fighting the Flying Circus  
 Schmidt—The Secret of Silver Peak  
 Singmaster—A Boy at Gettysburg  
 Skidmore—River Rising  
 Snedeker—The Beckoning Road  
 Sperry—Lost Lagoon  
 Stone—Going on Nine  
 Streatfield—Circus Shoes  
 Tallant—The Girl Who was Marge  
 Tousley—Val rides the Oregon Trail  
 Tunis—The Duke Decides  
 Van Vrooman—Ju-Ju  
 Wing—Take it Away Sam  
 Wriston—Camping Down at Highgate  
 Eight volumes (Gift of Mrs. Benner)

*Adult Non-Fiction*

Adams—Civilization During the Middle Ages  
 Adams—History of the United States, five Volumes  
 Adams—Workers on Relief  
 Appleton—An Outline of Religion  
 Barrie—Echoes of the World War (Drama)  
 Beard—American Midpassage  
 Beebe—Beneath Tropic Seas  
 Belloc—Richelieu  
 Berolzheimer—American Womans Cookbook  
 Bronsels—An Indian Journey (Gift of Mrs. Bordman)  
 Brooks—The American Caravan (Gift of Mrs. Bordman)  
 Bryson—Which Way America?  
 Butler—Across the Busy Years  
 Buxton—The Window Garden  
 Canby—Thoreau  
 Cobb—Security for a failing world (Gift of author)  
 Connell—Mexico at the Bar of Public Opinion (Gift of author)  
 Cornplanter—Legends of the Long House  
 Cook—Things to Make With Dry Batteries  
 Coulton—Medieval Panorama  
 Cowan—Range Rider

- Craig—The Forgotten Fifty Billion (Gift of Publishers)  
 Craven—A Treasury of Art Masterpieces  
 Crow—400 Million Customers  
 Deladier—In Defence of France  
 Damon—Grandma Called it Carnal  
 Dickens—One Pair of Hands  
 Duprey—Nations Forests  
 Esslemont—Baha-ù-llah and the New Era (Gift of author)  
 Exupery—Wind Sand and Storm  
 Fabre—Book of Insects  
 Faure—Medieval Art  
 Ferber—A Peculiar Treasure  
 Franck—The Lure of Alaska  
 Fishback—Safe Conduct  
 Floherty—Make Way for the Mail  
 Galsworthy—Strife, (drama)  
 Giddens—Birth of the Oil Industry  
 Goss—Life of Colonel Paul Revere, Two volumes (Gift of Thelma Burgess)  
 Gunther—Inside Asia  
 Haggard—Devils, Drugs and Doctors  
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 Hitler—Mein Kampf  
 Hogarth—Hogarth (Gift of Mrs. Warner)  
 Huntington—Red Mans Continent  
 Hougan—Christmas  
 Keller—Midstream  
 Kimball—Touring with Tent and Trailer  
 Kirkpatrick—Latin America  
 Krehbiel—How to Listen to Music  
 Krivitsky—In Stalins Secret Service  
 Levene—A History of Argentina  
 Long—Seven Seas on a Shoe String  
 Lorth—Alexander Hamilton  
 Mencken—The American Language (Gift of Reeds Ferry Womans Club)  
 McMahon—Two Strikes and Out (Gift of publisher)  
 Miller—Sparks Lighting Cosmic Rays  
 Munro—The Middle Ages  
 N. H. Federation of Womans Clubs—Anthology of N. H. Poetry  
 Partridge—Country Lawyer

Peattie—Prairie Grove  
 Richberg—Mexican Oil Seizure (Gift)  
 Schlsnger—The New Deal in Action  
 Sheean—Personal History  
 Sheean—Not Peace But a Sword  
 Sherwood—Abe Lincoln in Illinois (drama)  
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 Strout—Maud  
 Sullivan—Our Times, six volumes  
 Sutherland—Lapland Journey  
 Tracy—Our Country, Our People and Theirs  
 Van Metre—Tramps and Liners  
 Van Parsen—Days of Our Years  
 Waln—Reaching for the Stars  
 Watton—Marehuana  
 Wiggan—Marks of an Educated Man (Gift)  
 Wilder—The Mayo Clinic  
 Wissler—Indian Cavalcade  
 Wissler—Indians of the U. S.  
 Woodbury—Glass Giant of Palomer  
 Wright—Story of Gardening (Gift of Reeds Ferry  
     Womans Club)  
 Zinsser—Rats Lice and History  
 Bound annual reports of Merrimack 1928-1938  
 U. S. Gov. Publication—Food and Life  
 Latest Websters Dictionary  
 World Almanac  
 Federal Reserve System (Gift of same)  
 All of the State reports

*Juvenile Non-Fiction*

D'Aulaire—Abraham Lincoln  
 Daugherty—Daniel Boone  
 Dutton—Hockey  
 Egan—Don Fendler  
 Grant—Ships Under Sail  
 Huntington—Lets Go Outdoors  
 Jessup—Skis and Ski-ing  
 Kummer—Leif Erikson  
 Leming—Fun with Paper  
 Mason—Woodcraft  
 McKenny—A Book of Wild Flowers  
 Miller—Heroes, Outlaws and Funny Fellows  
 Payne—Plays for any Child



Petersham—Story Book of Things we Wear  
 Quenell—History of Every Day Things in England  
 Reek—The Romance of Transportation  
 Robinson—Runner Up of the Mountain Tops  
 Rogers—Big Miss Liberty  
 Spencer—Three Sisters

*Periodicals*

American  
 American Boy  
 American Cookery  
 American Girl  
 American Home  
 American News (Gift)  
 Better Homes and Gardens  
 Bulletin of the Public Library of N. H.  
 Child Life  
 Cosmopolitan  
 Current History  
 Educational Digest  
 Good Housekeeping  
 Health News (Gift)  
 House Beautiful  
 Interior Decorator  
 Ladies Home Journal  
 Life  
 National Geographic (Gift)  
 News Week  
 Our Dumb Animals (Gift)  
 Readers Digest (Gift)  
 Recruiting News (Gift)  
 Red Book  
 Time (Gift)  
 Travelers Standard (Gift)  
 Troubadour (Gift)  
 Wilson Bulletin  
 Womans Home Companion (Gift)  
 Word Study (Gift)  
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 Catalogue of U. S. Documents

MARGUERITE M. HENDERSON,  
*Librarian.*

## AUDITORS' REPORT

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We have examined the accounts of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Library Committee, Water System Committee, and Trust Funds for the year ending January 31, 1940, and find the receipts correctly cast and the payments properly vouched.

WILBUR J. FOSTER,  
BERT L. PEASLEE,  
*Auditors.*

February 24, 1940.

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MERRIMACK

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### SCHOOL WARRANT

*To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Merrimack qualified to vote in District Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the 9th day of March, 1940 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the school board and truant officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the report of agents, auditors, committees or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools, and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To choose a trustee to represent the district on the board of trustees of McGaw Normal Institute for the ensuing three years.
10. To see how much money the district will raise for extraordinary repairs and contingent requirements.
11. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to sell school house known as No. 7.

12. To see if the district will vote to install flush toilets in the Merrimack and Reed's Ferry district schools, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

13. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Merrimack this  
day of            1940.

CLAUD M. MAKER,  
DAVID R. JONES,  
MARTHA M. CARTER,  
*School Board.*

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CLAUD M. MAKER,  
DAVID R. JONES,  
MARTHA M. CARTER,  
*School Board.*

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Hudson, N. H., February 12, 1940

*To the School Board and Citizens of the Town of Merrimack:*

Following is my tenth annual report as Superintendent of your Schools:

### Enrollment, February 12, 1940

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	totals
Reed's Ferry	6	8	3	3	5	7	5	7					44
Merrim'k Gram	7	6	6	9	7	7	5	11					58
Thornton's Ferry	7	7	4	10	9	10	7	2					56
No. 5	2	2	4	4	4	3	4	3					26
No. 12	4	1	2	4	2	3	3	1					21
McGaw Institute									10	13	9	15	47
Totals	26	24	19	30	27	30	24	25	10	13	9	15	252

There were several changes in the teaching staff in Merrimack this year. At McGaw Normal Institute Miss Olive Raymond, a graduate of the University of New Hampshire was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Anne Frederick. Miss Katherine Sweeney, who has taught for several years at Reed's Pond and South Merrimack, was elected to fill the vacancy in the upper grades at Thornton's Ferry caused by the resignation of Miss Alyce Gage. Miss Mary Chesworth, a graduate of Lowell Normal School, was elected to fill the vacancy at South Merrimack. Miss Etta Dickey was elected to fill the vacancy in the upper grades in Merrimack caused by the resignation of Miss Marie Murphy.

There was quite a large increase in the number of children of elementary school age registered in Reed's Ferry this year so that it was possible to reopen the primary room in that school. Miss Carolyn Osgood was elected for this position.

Since the first of February the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation has distributed apples, oranges, canned peaches, and raisins to each of the schools in Merrimack. Through this source it has been possible to supply each child with apples and oranges each day.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. HALL,  
*Superintendent.*



## REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER OF MCGAW NORMAL INSTITUTE

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The school year opened September 6, with a total enrollment of forty-eight pupils. It is interesting to note that only one has left school since the opening date. Another interesting fact relative to this year's enrollment is that there are twenty-four girls and twenty-three boys. It is unusual, in any school register, to note so close a division of sexes enrolled.

Of last year's graduating class of three, one is attending Nashua Business College; one is attending the University of New Hampshire, and one has found employment locally.

A correspondence course in Latin is being offered to three students this year. This work, offered through and sanctioned by the State Board of Education, is made available to the smaller schools of the country, by the University of Nebraska.

Noon lunches are served under the supervision of Miss Olive Raymond, to an average of twenty students daily. Approximately eight students go home for noon lunch and thirty-nine remain at school.

The school play, "Trouble Comes to Town", presented last April, was a financial success. The school voted, early in May, to purchase an electric Victrola for dancing purposes. This has been of distinct benefit to the school and to the community. Not only have students of McGaw availed themselves of the opportunity to learn to dance, but the students of the Grammar school of Merrimack also. Under Miss Sleeper's supervision, dancing classes were organized and instruction given. Naturally, when some sixty odd youngsters began to appear for instruction, some revision had to be made. At present the students of Reed's Ferry Grammar School report to Miss Sleeper, and the students of the other schools are under the instruction of the teachers of their respective schools. Miss Sleeper has been assisted by the girls of McGaw.

The senior play, "A Pair of Country Kids", was presented in the Town Hall on December fifteenth. The proceeds of the play will be used to defray graduation expenses. It was possible to select the entire cast from members of the graduating class. The play was well received.

The general form of the school paper "The McGaw Buzzer" has been changed. Some advertising is now included in the paper. A mimeoscope has been made available through the generosity of Mr. Arthur Gordon. The staff has purchased a new mimeograph machine and other incidentals and soon hopes to obtain a new typewriter so that it will be possible that each member of the student body may receive each publication. The south-west room of McGaw was refinished (painted and papered) through the cooperative efforts of the Home Economics classes and the "Buzzer office" will be located there.

The athletic program of the school has gained some slight momentum. After a very successful baseball season last spring, it was decided that a winter sport would be of distinct advantage and that a hockey program would be inexpensive and an educational factor for the community. The boys of the school built the rink under Mr. Geno's efficient supervision. The school is indebted to Stanley Worrada, Franklin Haseltine, and Arthur Gordon for their kindness and cooperation. A tentative schedule of six games has been arranged. Mr. Larry Stuart has coached the boys gratuitously, and I am obligated to him for his fine spirit and assistance.

Baseball will again be offered for the boys. It is hoped that money will be made available for the purchase of new uniforms. Their present uniforms are six years old.

The girls as yet have no organized sport for interscholastic competition. Field hockey could be made available for the girls and, as there are many schools in the state sponsoring field hockey, many desirable contacts could be made. This would prove of distinct advantage to the girls and to the community.

In closing this, my annual report to the citizens of

Merrimack, may I extend to you all, who have so loyally supported and attended our school functions, my sincere thanks and appreciation. The interest you evidence in the school, makes more possible the effective teaching of the principles of American Democracy.

Respectfully submitted,

EBEN B. HUTTON,

*Headmaster.*

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

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Reed's Ferry—Armen Mirakian, grade 6; Robert Corliss, grade 6; Marilyn Bell, grade 7; Forrest Bean, grade 7; Roger Tatreault, grade 7.

Merrimack Grammar—William Grant, grade 3; Otis Norton, grade 3; Evelyn Flanders, grade 3; Milton Haight, grade 4; Elzear Houle, grade 8; Clifford Greenleaf, grade 7; Joseph Houle, grade 7.

Thornton's Ferry—Lucille Hill, grade 1; Dorothy Dwire, grade 1; Ralph Dwire, grade 4; David Bigwood, grade 4; Fred Wood, grade 5; Ellen Lowell, grade 7.

No. 12—Donald Fifield, grade 2.

McGraw Institute—Mary Adamowich, grade 10; Elizabeth Stowell, grade 9; Glenys Morse, grade 11; Ruth Patterson, grade 11; John Stowell, grade 12.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

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*To the School Board and Citizens of Merrimack:*

For the Town of Merrimack—Sept. 1938 to June, 1939

Number of pupils examined			254
Number underweight	12	12	7
Number defective vision	6	—	5
Number diseased tonsils	3	—	2
Number defective teeth	97	—	42

Pupils accompanied to clinics:

Pupils to vaccination clinic	6
Pupils to oculist	4
Pupils examined by Dr. Kerr at clinic	2
Home Visits	103
School Visits	180

Report of Dental Clinic—June 1939

Number pupils treated	42
Number receiving complete care	35
Number pupils receiving free care	17
Number pupils paying full cost	21
Number pupils paying part cost	4
Total number cleanings	19
Temporary Teeth extracted	12
Permanent teeth extracted	12
Number silver fillings	30
Number of porcelain fillings	8

The dental clinic was made possible by funds received from Red Cross and organizations and clubs in the towns.

MARGARET CRONIN, R. N

*School Nurse.*



## SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1940-41

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### School District of Merrimack

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1940.

### DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

	H. Sch.	El. Sch.	
Support of Schools:			
Teachers' salaries	\$4,100.00	\$7,796.00	
Text books .....	100.00	400.00	
Scholars' supplies	100.00	400.00	
Flags and appurtenances .....	.....	10.00	
Other expense of instruction .....	.....	30.00	
Janitor Service ..	.....	432.00	
Fuel .....	185.00	734.00	
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies ..	.....	245.00	
Minor Repairs and Expenses .....	300.00	350.00	
Health Supervision (Medical Inspection) ...	20.00	410.93	
Transportation of Pupils .....	.....	2,583.00	
Payment of Elementary Tuition	.....	.....	
Other Special Activities .....	.....	30.00	
	\$4,805.00	\$13,420.93	\$18,225.93

## Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of District Officers (fixed by Dist.) .....	\$241.00	
Truant Officer and School Census (fixed by Dist.)...	45.00	
Payment of Tuitions in High Schools .....	1,500.00	
Superintendent's Excess Salary (Fixed by S. U.)..	375.00	
Other Obligations:		
Administration ..	\$217.00	
Insurance .....	154.00	
New equipment .	50.00	
	<u>\$421.00</u>	
		<u>3,128.00</u>
..		
Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget .....		\$21,353.93

## ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

State Aid (Dec. 1940 allotment)	\$2,651.00	
Dog Tax (Estimate) .....	200.00	
Income from Trust Funds ....	500.00	
Other Estimated Income (George Reed Fund) .....	200.00	
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Deduct Total Estimated Income (Not by Tax) .....		<u>3,551.00</u>
Assessment required to Balance School Budget .....		\$17,802.93
Special Appropriations Proposed (Articles in Warrant)		

# FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE MERRIMACK SCHOOL BOARD

July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

## *Receipts*

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1939

Balance in the treasury July, 1939	\$187.83
Received from:	
State treasurer, state equalization fund	3,181.73
State treasurer, special fund	283.23
Selectmen, tax assessment	16,794.45
Selectmen, dog tax	267.16
Selectmen, income from trust funds	557.19
Other receipts—Tuition from Amherst	200.00
Total receipts	\$21,471.59

## *Expenditures*

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1939

Salaries of district officers	\$241.00
Superintendent's excess salary	348.78
Truant officers and school census	42.00
Expenses of administration	161.33
Principals' and teachers' salaries	11,046.00
Text books	604.74
Scholars' supplies	521.04
Flags and appurtenances	10.00
Other expense of instruction	34.98
Janitor service	396.00
Fuel	764.09
Water, light, janitor's supplies	248.91
Minor repairs and expenses	475.66
Medical inspection	422.34
Transportation of pupils	2,301.60
High school and academy tuition	1,450.00
Other special activities	20.00
Tax for state wide supervision	518.00
Insurance and other fixed charges	90.00
Alterations of old buildings	293.30
New equipment	65.51
Payment of principal of debt	1,000.00

Payments of interest on debt	45.00
Total expenditures	<u>\$21,046.28</u>
Cash on hand June 30, 1939	<u>\$425.31</u>

### AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Merrimack, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939 and find them correct in all respects.

Respectfully submitted,

BEULAH M. HASELTINE,

*Auditor.*

July 12, 1939

## ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

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Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1939

### DISTRICT OFFICERS SALARIES

Claude M. Maker, chairman school board	\$100.00
David R. Jones, member school board	50.00
Martha M. Carter	50.00
Josiah N. Henderson, district treasurer	35.00
Francis W. Bean, district clerk	2.00
Harry Watkins, district moderator	2.00
Anson A. Platts, district auditor	2.00
	<hr/> \$241.00

### SUPERINTENDENT'S EXCESS SALARY

Paid Herbert W. Canfield, Treasurer	\$348.78
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### TRUANT OFFICER AND SCHOOL CENSUS

Paid Angus Morrison	\$42.00
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### EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

Herbert W. Canfield treas. Union expense	\$88.00
Fred W. Hall	25.25
Edson C. Eastman Company	12.23
School District of Hudson	10.80
J. N. Henderson, treas postage, etc.	25.05
	<hr/> 161.33

### PRINCIPAL'S AND TEACHER'S SALARIES

J. N. Henderson, treas High School salaries	\$3,850.00
Ethel L. Morris	1,000.00
Marion J. Butterfield	990.00
Marie A. Murphy	936.00
Irene Somerville	1,000.00
Alyce Gage	950.00
Ann C. Burke	831.00



Katherine E. Sweeney	989.00
John M. Priske, Music	500.00
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	\$11,046.00

## TEXT BOOKS (High School)

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$6.97
M. H. Leavis	1.50
American Home Economics Assoc.	6.60
Allyn and Bacon	6.90
D. C. Heath & Co.	16.37
Benj H. Sanborn & Co.	5.95
Hinds, Hayden & Eldredge, Inc.	16.31
Henry Holt & Co., Inc.	41.71
Ginn & Co.	54.40
Silver Burdett Co.	57.89
The Macmillan Co.	7.02
Houghton Mifflin Co.	2.72
American Book Co.	2.11
Iroquois Publishing Co.	19.81
Women's Wear Co.	2.50
Charles E. Merrill Co.	3.96
Edith H. Tappan	1.00
Rand McNally & Co.	.51
John C. Winston Co.	1.87
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	1.52
Robert Schalkenbach Foundation	1.46
The Avalon Press	1.25
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	\$260.33

## TEXT BOOKS (Elementary)

Scott, Foresman & Co.	\$8.37
Ginn & Co.	193.54
Charles E. Merrill Co.	19.33
The Macmillan Co.	5.97
Charles Scribner's Sons	7.01
Houghton Mifflin Co.	33.57
American Book Co.	3.81
Iroquois Pub. Co.	6.23
The Bobbs-Merrill Co.	14.91
The L. W. Singer Co.	7.09
Longmans, Green & Co.	31.04

Harlow Pub. Corp.	1.44
American Education Press	1.07
Milton Bradley Co.	2.06
Laidlaw Bros.	1.43
Webster Pub. Co.	.20
Silver Burdett Co.	4.86
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	2.48
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	\$344.41

#### SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES (High)

F. A. Owen Pub. Co.	\$25.75
Edward E. Babb & Co.	31.48
American Book Co.	1.91
Doubleday, Doran & Co.	3.00
Central Scientific Co.	70.59
M. F. Gelletly	1.00
J. L. Hammett Co.	4.14
Philip Morris	4.47
Chas. W. Homeyer & Co.	8.08
The Nations Schools	2.00
The Macmillan Co.	2.25
H. L. Jenkins	24.40
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	\$179.07

#### SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES (Elementary)

World Book Co.	\$17.50
F. W. Woolworth Co.	6.48
Milton Bradley Co.	81.32
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	141.05
Denoyer-Geppert Co.	5.14
Philip H. James	44.03
The Papercrafters	7.73
Nation's Schools Pub. Co.	2.00
Philip Morris & Co.	25.84
Gel-Sten Supply Co., Inc.	4.88
John B. Varick Co.	1.95
Phillips Paper Co.	2.10
The Phaneuf Press	1.95
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	\$341.97

# FLAGS AND APPURTENANCES

Philip Morris & Co.	\$10.00
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## OTHER EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

May Sherburne (High School)	\$ .75
A. H. Rice & Co.	5.25
J. L. Hammett Co.	.58
Wm. L. Nutting Inc.	4.00
The Phaneuf Press	1.95
May Sherburne	1.70
Cole Printing Co.	2.75
Philip Morris & Co.	18.00
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	\$34.98

## JANITOR SERVICE (Elementary)

Charles F. Russell	\$72.00
George Cunningham	144.00
John Beland	32.40
Olanzo Beland	75.60
Russell Bird	18.00
Robert Charron	6.00
Raymond Levesque	12.00
Frank Hall	18.00
Marjorie Parker	18.00
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	\$396.00

## FUEL (High School)

Franklin L. Haseltine	\$177.04
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## FUEL (Elementary)

George Bigwood	\$122.40
Balcom-Nashua Ice Co.	6.50
George Cunningham	3.25
Wilber C. Maker	4.90
Franklin L. Haseltine	450.00
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	\$764.09

## WATER, LIGHT, AND JANITOR SUPPLIES

The Merrimack Co.	\$ 9.25
Public Service Co.	156.72

Sanitary Service Supply	22.10
State Workshop for Blind	5.85
Shedd-Harris Water System	18.77
John B. Varick Co.	20.64
Edward E. Babb Co.	15.58
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	\$248.91

#### MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES

George Keller	\$248.97
George E. Cook	7.00
John B. Varick Co.	25.71
Manchester Supply Co.	19.20
Gulf Oil Corporation	9.63
West Side Lumber Co.	1.96
Wm. E. Balcom, Sr.	18.00
Hollis Whalen	42.45
John I. Watkins	3.55
Charles Parker	3.00
A. P. Horne & Co.	7.00
W. T. Henderson	13.80
Percy Q. Morse	1.60
P. E. Fletcher Co., Inc.	29.75
Perrault & Smith Furniture Co.	8.05
Jeanotte Bros.	10.50
George A. Cunningham	13.00
S. J. Poirer Co.	4.75
Hill Hardware & Paint Co.	2.78
Myron E. Whalin	1.00
The Phaneuf Press	3.96
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	\$475.66

#### HEALTH SUPERVISION

Margaret E. Cronin	\$418.92
Liggett Drug Co.	3.42
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	\$422.34

#### TRANSPORTATION (Elementary)

Martha M. Carter	\$456.00
Doris Hill	405.60

Grace E. Upham	438.00
P. Henry Cogger	411.00
F. W. Bean	591.00
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	\$2,301.60

## HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

City of Nashua, N. H.	\$1,450.00
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## OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$12.00
Wm. L. Nutting	6.00
Philip Morris & Co.	2.00
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	\$20.00

## INSURANCE

Claude M. Maker, agt.	\$90.00
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## STATE WIDE SUPERVISION

Paid State Treasurer	\$518.00
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## NEW EQUIPMENT

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$1.81
Denoyer-Geppert Co. (High School)	13.70
J. L. Hammett Co.	50.00
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	\$65.51

## ALTERATIONS OF OLD BUILDINGS

Merrill F. Manning	\$7.80
Alfred O. Bishop	102.71
John I. Bishop	33.93
J. J. Moreau & Son	94.86
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Respectfully submitted,

\$239.30

## PAYMENT ON PRINCIPAL OF DEBT

J. N. Henderson, Treas. McGaw Trustees	\$1,000.00
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## PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON DEBT

J. N. Henderson, Treas. McGaw Trustees	\$45.00
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## SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

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For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939

<i>Dr.</i>	
Balance in treasury July 1, 1938	\$187.83
Received from:	
Selectmen appropriation	16,794.45
Selectmen, dog tax	267.16
State Treasurer, State aid	3,181.73
State Treasurer, Federal funds	383.23
Amherst School District, tuition	200.00
Trustees of trust funds,	
Income from:	
Gage funds	495.29
Henry Lawrence fund	16.22
Charles Lawrence fund	30.46
McClure fund	15.22
	\$21,471.59
<i>Cr.</i>	
By orders of School Board	\$21,046.28
By balance in treasury	425.31
	\$21,471.59

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON,  
*School Treasurer.*

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Merrimack of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939 and find them correct in all respects.

BEULAH M. HASELTINE,  
*Auditor.*

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF TRUSTEES

### McGAW NORMAL INSTITUTE

Balance in treasury July 1, 1938	\$171.25
Received from:	
School Treasurer,	3,850.00
McGaw fund	326.77
	<hr/> \$4,348.02
Paid:	
Eben B. Hutton, headmaster's salary	\$1,700.00
Millicent E. Sleeper, teacher's salary	1,061.00
Ann Frederick, teacher's salary	1,000.00
Ruth Montgomery, teacher's salary	4.00
Wilbur Maker, janitor's salary	129.50
Public Service Co., of N. H.	29.88
Alden Henderson, repairs	66.00
W. T. Henderson, repairs	40.00
Cobban Wallpaper Stores, repairs	30.12
John B. Varick Co. repairs	44.64
John I. Watkins, repairs	3.75
West Side Lumber Co., repairs	11.62
J. N. Henderson, repairs	102.83
Bert Gilmore, repairs	3.00
Maxfield Press, supplies	7.25
R. J. Morrill, supplies	21.50
Wm. Sterndale, supplies	4.10
J. W. Hill Co., supplies	1.13
Spear Dry Goods Co., supplies	.79
Phillip Morris & Co., supplies	2.00
Shedd Harris Water Stm. Water	26.23
Grace Richardson, music	30.00
	<hr/> \$4,319.34
Balance in treasury July 1, 1939	28.68
	<hr/> \$4,348.02

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON,

*Treasurer.*

# Marriages Reported in the Town of Merrimack, N. H., for the Year Ending January 31, 1940.

Date of Marriage	Name of Groom and Bride	Age	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Birthplace of Each	Name of Parents	By Whom Married Place of Marriage
June	24 Jesse Watkins	29	1 Merrimack	Merrimack	John H. Watkins	John I. Foley Catholic Priest
					Annie Valley	Manchester
July	1 June Rowell	16	1 Manchester	Manchester	Harry M. Rowell	Manchester
					Martha McKay	
	Eugene Bergan	32	1 Barnstable, Mass.	Tampico, Mexico	Jerome J. Bergan	John W. Wright Clergyman
	Helen W. Gordon	30	1 Merrimack	Dover	Anna M. Stuzz	Merrimack
					Harris S. Gordon	
Sept.	2 Alfred H. Kirtton, Jr.	24	1 Bedford, Mass.	Cambridge, Mass.	Edith S. Wyman	John W. Wright Clergyman
					Ida W. Peterson	Merrimack
	Barbara T. Emerson	21	1 Lexington, Mass.	Lexington, Mass.	Alfred Emerson	
Sept.	2 Pierce Dubovick	21	1 Merrimack	Nashua	Edith R. Bradbury	Rev. R. G. Carignan Roman Catholic Priest
					Joseph Dubovick	Nashua
	Theresa Y. Dionne	21	1 Nashua	Lowell, Mass.	Josephine Putkewicz	
Sept.	16 Peter Walentu Kiewicz	29	1 Nashua	Manchester	Celina Hebert	Rev. P. J. Lutkus Roman Catholic Priest
					Simon Walentukiewicz	Nashua
	Melvina J. Adamowich	20	1 Merrimack	Merrimack	Petrucia Trinowicz	
Sept.	23 Alba Bennett	28	1 Merrimack	Manchester	Peter Adamowich	Rev. John B. McQuaid Catholic Priest
					Agnes Stangis	Nashua
	Madeline Nash	25	1 Nashua	Nashua	James Bennett	
Sept.	30 Charles H. Wetherbee	21	1 Merrimack	Amherst	Dennis Nash	Amos F. Chase Minister
					Bertha Chase	
	Mable M. A. Dwire	17	1 Manchester	Manchester	Charles H. Wetherbee	David R. Jones Justice of the Peace
Oct.	9 Robert J. Rousell	22	1 Billerica, Mass.	Arlington, Mass.	Leola A. Raymond	Merrimack
					Bernice E. Dwire	
	Mafalda M. Lancelotta	18	1 Arlington, Mass.	Arlington, Mass.	Stella A. Langevin	John W. Wright Clergyman
Oct.	11 Amand J. Tremblay	20	1 Lowell, Mass.	Chelmsford, Mass.	Edgar W. Rousell	Merrimack
					Florence Steves	
	Leola D. Fernald	20	1 Lowell, Mass.	Lowell, Mass.	Emilio Lancelotta	
					Rose Colernan	
					Joseph Tremblay	
					Clara Sarvad	
					Wildor A. Fernald	
					Celia A. Broderick	

Oct.	12	Donald E. Watts	27	1	Londonderry	Benjamin H. Watts	Manchester
		Dorothy M. Allgaier	24	1	Merrimack	Leulla E. Corning	Rev. John Pitts
Oct.	12	Roland O. Clement	27	1	Merrimack	William A. Allgaier	Catholic Priest
		Antoinette Rene	27	1	Nashua	Julia A. Bowen	Oscar E. Gigneur
Oct.	19	Porter H. Spooner	25	1	Bedford	Charles S. Clement	Catholic Priest
		Evelyn E. Center	18	1	Merrimack	Josephine Dusseault	Nashua
Oct.	28	Edward W. Little	23	1	Merrimack	Walter Rene	Rose Moreau
		Mary L. Geno	25	1	Merrimack	Peter Spooner	John W. Wright
Nov.	9	Guido A. Rizzi	41	1	Milford	Emmer F. Goodale	Clergyman
		Mildred E. Fisher	23	1	Merrimack	Leon F. Center	Merrimack
Nov.	11	Richard Goyette	28	1	Merrimack	Mabel Beard	Reamer Kline
		Lillian Douville	22	1	Bedford	John E. Little	Rector Church Good
Nov.	14	Ralph B. Howard	29	1	Everett, Mass.	Olive	Shepherd
		Margaret W. Gordon	32	1	Everett, Mass.	Edward W. Geno	Nashua
Dec.	2	Joseph J. Jaleski	19	1	Goffstown	Bessie C. Barnard	Donald C. Bruce
		Anna V. Sienko	23	1	Reed's Ferry	Ella Rizzi	Justice of the Peace
1940		Ernest A. Lermond	37	2	Boston, Mass.	Luigia Calderara	Milford
Jan.	16	Beatrice E. Veilleaux	46	1	Boston, Mass.	Milo E. Fisher	Rev. E. N. Durette
						Edith L. Shonyo	Roman Catholic Priest
						Edward Gogette	Manchester
						Edith Laforce	John W. Wright
						Hippolyte Douville	Clergyman
						George L. Howard	Merrimack
						Florence P. Clough	
						Chester H. Gordon	
						George E. Butterfield	
						John Zaleski	Priest Polish
						Tillie Lezzar	Catholic Church
						Kazmiery Sienko	Manchester
						Caroline Huss	
						Sidney B. Lermond	David R. Jones
						Annie L. Thorndike	Justice of the Peace
						Joseph Villeaux	Merrimack
						Mary Deveau	

I hereby certify that the foregoing return of Marriages for the Town of Merrimack, N. H., is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief. Attest.

DAVID R. JONES, *Town Clerk.*



# Deaths Registered in the Town of Merrimack, N. H., for the Year Ending January 31, 1940.

Date of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Death	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Feb. 8	Edward M. Nesmith	M 83	Boston, Mass.	Samuel C. Nesmith	Eliza J. McKean
Feb. 13	Elmer H. Fields	M 55	Merrimack	Hermion S. Fields	Susan Hill
Feb. 16	Alice M. Sibley	S 74	Merrimack	Freeman Sibley	Mary Gage
Feb. 23	James W. Adams	M 74	Merrimack	William F. Nay	Adelina E. Shedd
Feb. 24	Jennie A. Nay	S 28	Goffstown	Percy A. Dupell	Annie Manning
Mar. 15	Walter Hill	W 71	Nashua	John T. Smith	Delliah Walsh
Mar. 14	Carl H. Dupell	S 14	Merrimack	George G. White	Polly Marden
Apr. 11	Ida A. Cook	W 75	Manchester	James W. Morse	Ella Ireland
Apr. 14	Mary E. Douglas	M 69	Chelmsford, Mass.	James C. Waldo	Orissa S. Currier
Apr. 29	Rolla T. White	M 64	Merrimack	Gust Pickett	Nancy Barney
May 2	Ernest P. Morse	M 54	Merrimack	Steven Shannon	Lucy Baldwin
May 6	Mary A. Anderson	W 80	Nashua	Henry F. Warner	Mary Perkins
May 18	Charles G. Pickett	M 78	Manchester	George W. Quimby	Susan Newstead
May 17	Carrie Evans	W 70	Goffstown	Silas M. Conroy	Rosina Shaw
May 22	Henry E. Warner	M 62	Merrimack	William Hendricks	Mary Fournier
May 31	Mary L. Petteley	W 76	Merrimack	Peter Fran	Mary A. Smart
June 14	Ann C. Quimby	W 59	Somerville, Mass.	Cornelius Bogart	Alice Merrimack
Aug. 4	Mary Emmous	W 59	Nashua	Frank Hardy	Nellie Fitzgerald
Aug. 7	Bertha H. Conroy	S 72	Andover	Harold Decato	Catherine Watkins
Aug. 17	Alice H. French	W 72	Merrimack	James T. Jones	Mattie F. Marsh
Sept. 5	Julia Dupell	W 72	Merrimack	Fred C. Perkins, Jr.	Mavis Roy
Sept. 30	Mary A. Frain	S 71	Merrimack		
Oct. 7	Joseph N. Bogart	M 95	Goffstown		
Nov. 3	Elizabeth N. West	W 61	Merrimack		
Nov. 21	Barbara A. Decato	S 1 mo	Amherst		
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Jan. 8	Grace M. Hoffman	M 63	Merrimack		
Jan. 25	Fred C. Perkins, 3rd	S 2 mo	Merrimack		

I hereby certify that the foregoing return of Deaths for the Town of Merrimack, N. H., is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief. Attest.

DAVID R. JONES, Town Clerk.





